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Kim, We have such much in common — namely Phil Rapp-ass. He's one the same bus as us for Grad nite. That ought to be a joke. I'm still waiting for him to split his pants again. Do you know I still have a cough from Standing on rock Grass. Well... Have a great summer & Keep in touch.

Love, Vicki Benzmiller

Kim,
Hi, I have had alot of fun with you in Jewelry. Good luck in your new life, your free from school now.
Love,
Marian Logan

Kim,
I am glad I got to know you, it was fun talking all those day about "All my Children" Good luck always & Be Good
Love
Marie

Kim,
I'm glad I
know you especially
in class like
this. Good luck
and glad you
made thru the
13 hardest years
of life
Love
Julie

Kim,
It was pretty little
Not to much Geometry
Hope you enjoy your
Butterfly effect Senior
summer. Stay Gold
Love,
Maggie

Kim Baby
You are my favorite Buddy
I've been so much fun shooting the breeze with you this semester (wasn't that a cute saying?) I'll miss you this summer, so if you get a minute "Call me, see ya there" 788-2485. Hugs and see you in August

Love always
and forever
Chris Nettels

Kim,
I wish you the best in everything you do. Stay your darling self and you'll go far.
Happy Graduation!
Keep in touch & please call
783-1060
Love
Lisa Ferguson

Kim,
Your a really great girl stay that way. Have a fun fantastic summer
Lots of Love Quaky Lewis

Kim,
I wish my biggest problems in life were guys like you are always worrying about. Stay a little bit crazy always & forget to boogie Ouch!
Much Love
Aurora

Kim,
Did you ever know
Anniversary
10th grade
Well it was
is was
coincidence
where
Just then
friends
brother
etc.! Oh
not
Kim, truly I know it was the ultimate pleasure as always a pleasure as a person as well as a friendable as ever

Kim-
Why don't you call me & am - ya dumbhead! - remember 788-2485 - if that's not a good-luck with you and boy if you want it to be, I know who you are good-bye 'cause I know I should'll see you again
Love,
Your
Aurora

To Kim, —

What can you say about a girl you've known for
½ years? (sounds like Love Story). It's true - you're
e of my oldest & dearest friends. (I guess we go through
his every year at annual time.) But the nicest thing about you
s that you've stayed so sweet & dear to me through all these
ars. I'll never forget the things we've been through — fooling
ound at your Mom's office, "you're a Good Man, Charlie
own," & Disneyland ("what state are you from?" "A state of
lock!" & "Where shall I put my sleeping bag?" "Why don't you
y the floor" & going into hysterics all night long.) We've shared a
ot — even you're crying at Jr High Graduation. Kim, you'll never
now how much I'll miss hearing about your love life (John Hudson
till has a funny nose). It's the only excitement I ever get. And me
iving you advice (Miss Experience speaking). We've had a lot of fun
shared the bad times, too (you stealing my lollipop in Jr. High &
en writing obscenities all over the gym building). I just want you to know
hat I couldn't have shared those 6½ years with a more loving, kind,
nderstanding person. I'll really miss you, but I know we'll keep in
ouch (after all, I'm going to be a bridesmaid at your wedding). All the
luck in the world to a girl who deserves only the best (Princess Fiat).
You know ✱ I give you ...

All my love,

Janet Lee-E

Kim: I was (& still am) so glad to hear from you. It will be nice to get together, maybe during the summer & just relax & talk about old times. I know I'll see you sometime during the summer, but I can't say when (Phil, you, Wendi, and I should get together & have a nice Summer's Eve sometime). Ha! Anyway, I'll keep in touch (Love Letters, Love Cars, Love Chuck Lorenzini) & hope all goes well with you on grad. night & your trouble-free summers, and school & thereafter, so with fingers crossed for future Valentines. Have fun & stay out of trouble! Be good & Luck in your future. See you soon,

Kim
I have really had a good Time talking to you about chip (chump) you are really a doll have a great Summer and I hope to see you this Summer keep on Laughing
Love Jayne & Jim

As Time Goes By

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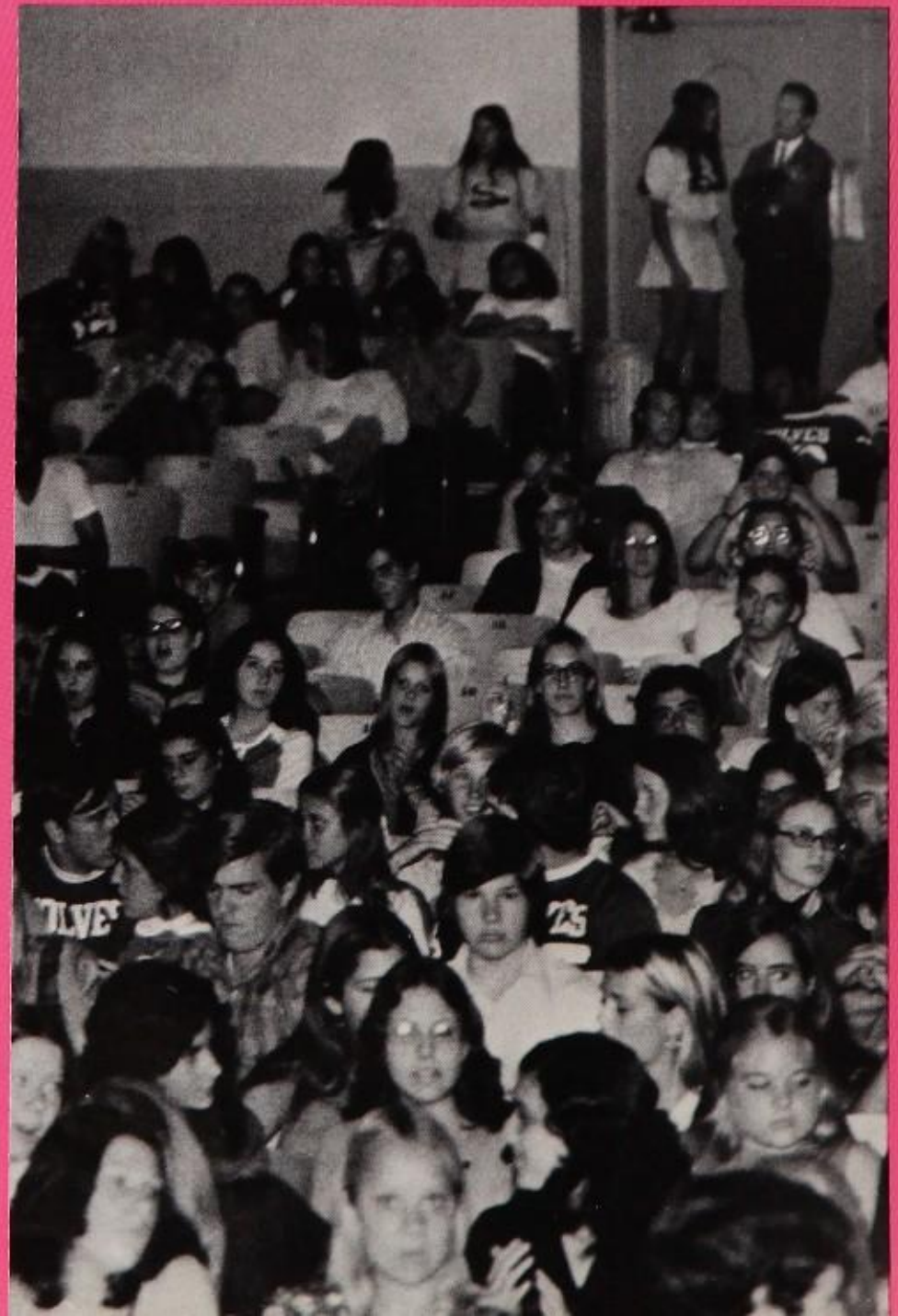

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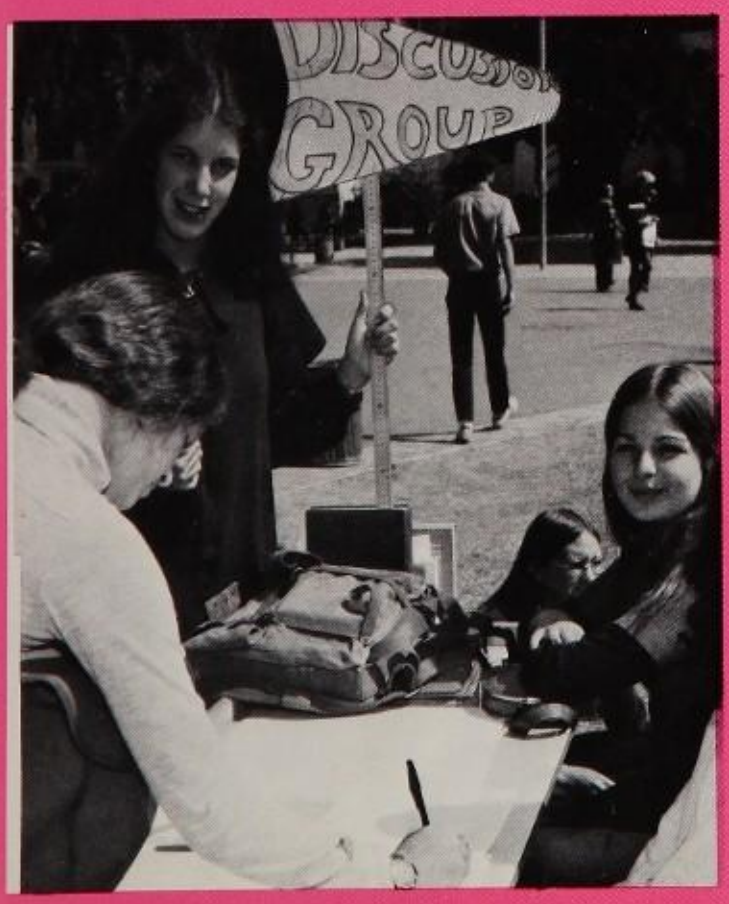

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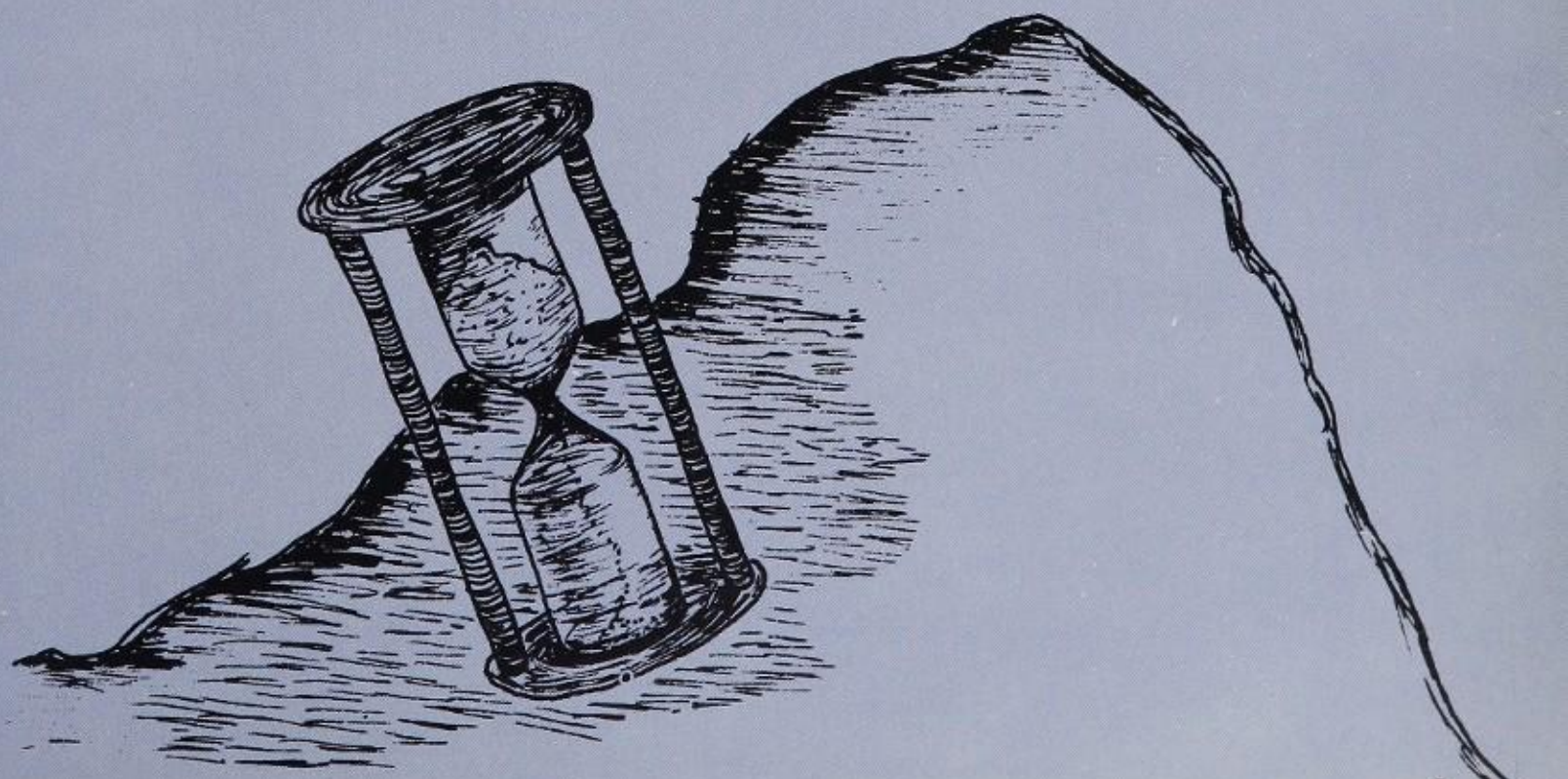
AS TIME GOES BY

TIME . . .
An instant in an infinite,
ever-changing parade of humanity.
It is measurable;
it is *time.*
We are this instant, and the record of our
being will last into eternity.
Are we worth it?
We are!
We are living, breathing, acting, creating
proof of our era of change.
As time goes by,
as it has always done, and will continue
to do,
we will see this change in ourselves and others.
As we portray the hopes
and endeavors of a year captured,
time stops. Or does it?
Time itself shows us . . .



. . . We Reflect
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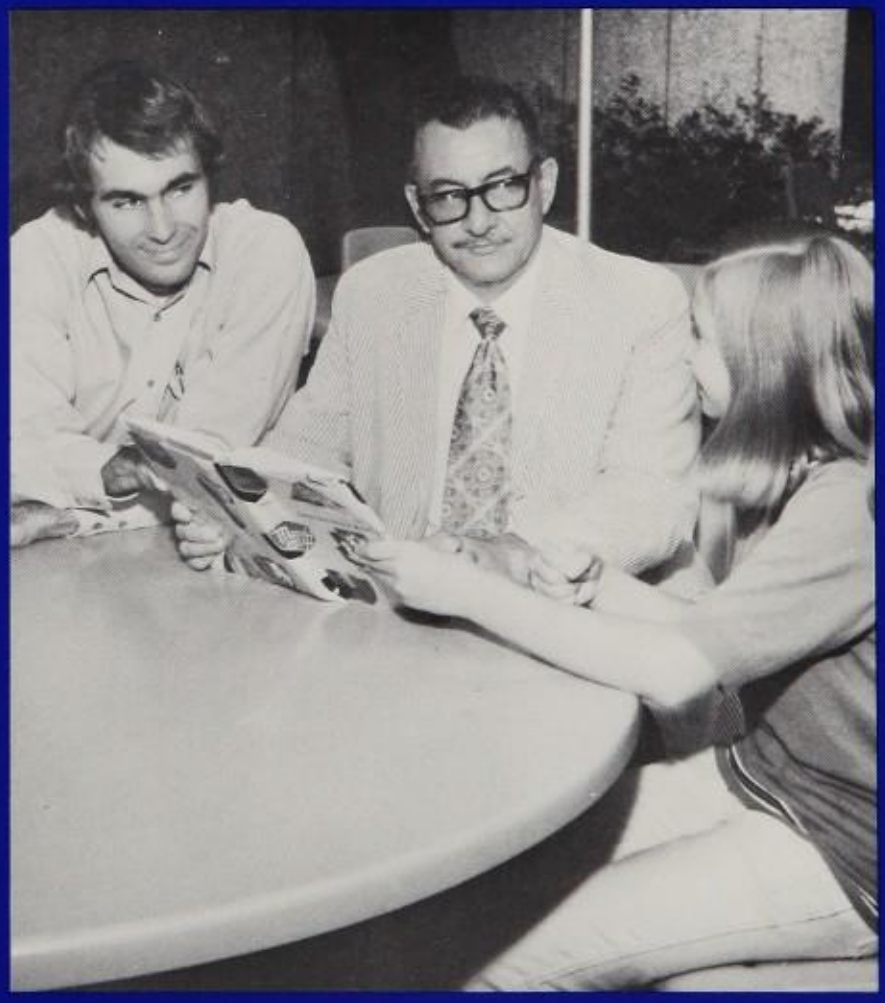
Ideas

DESIGN IN TEXTILES

. . . A New Generation Appears

Sink the
Vikings!



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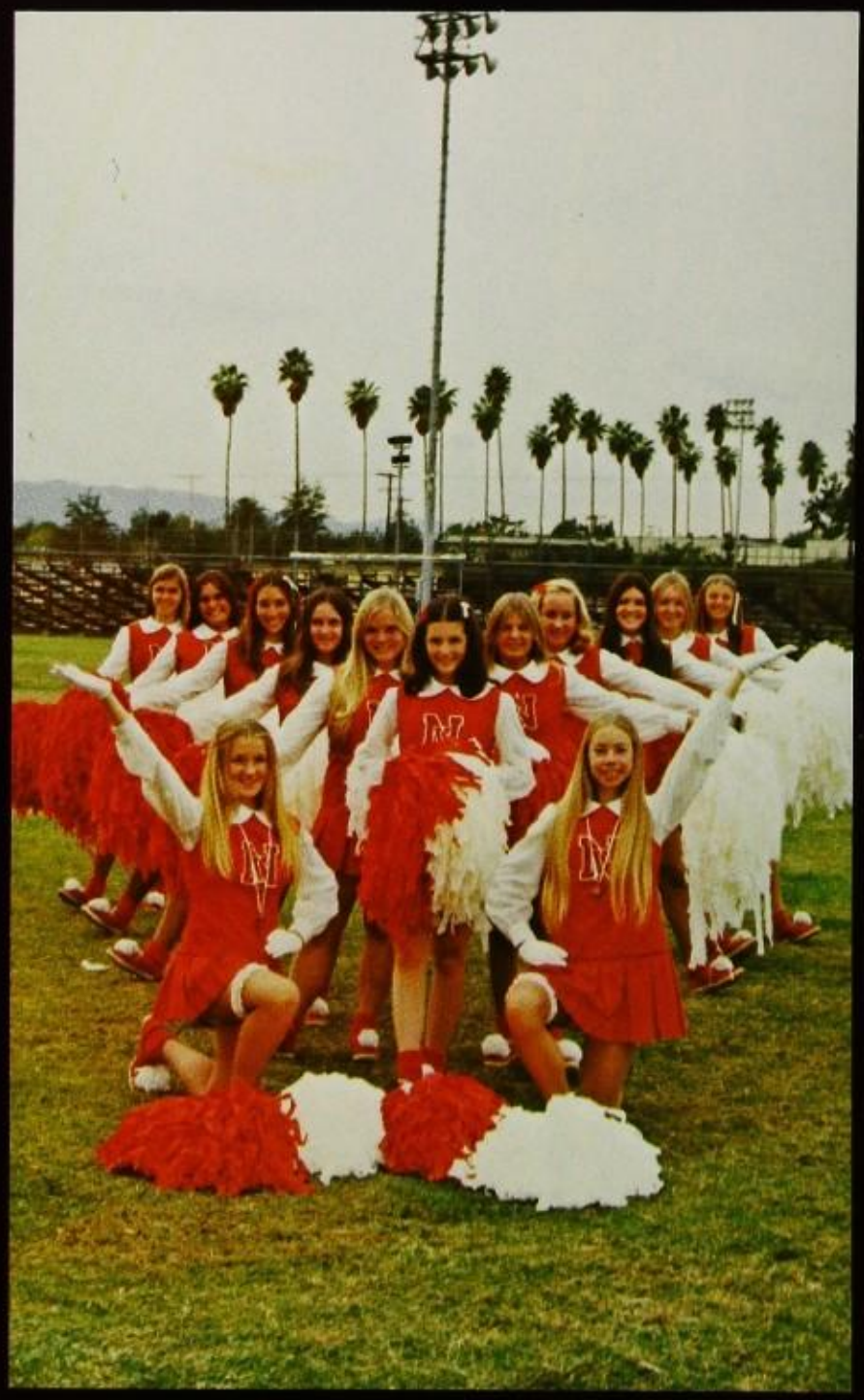
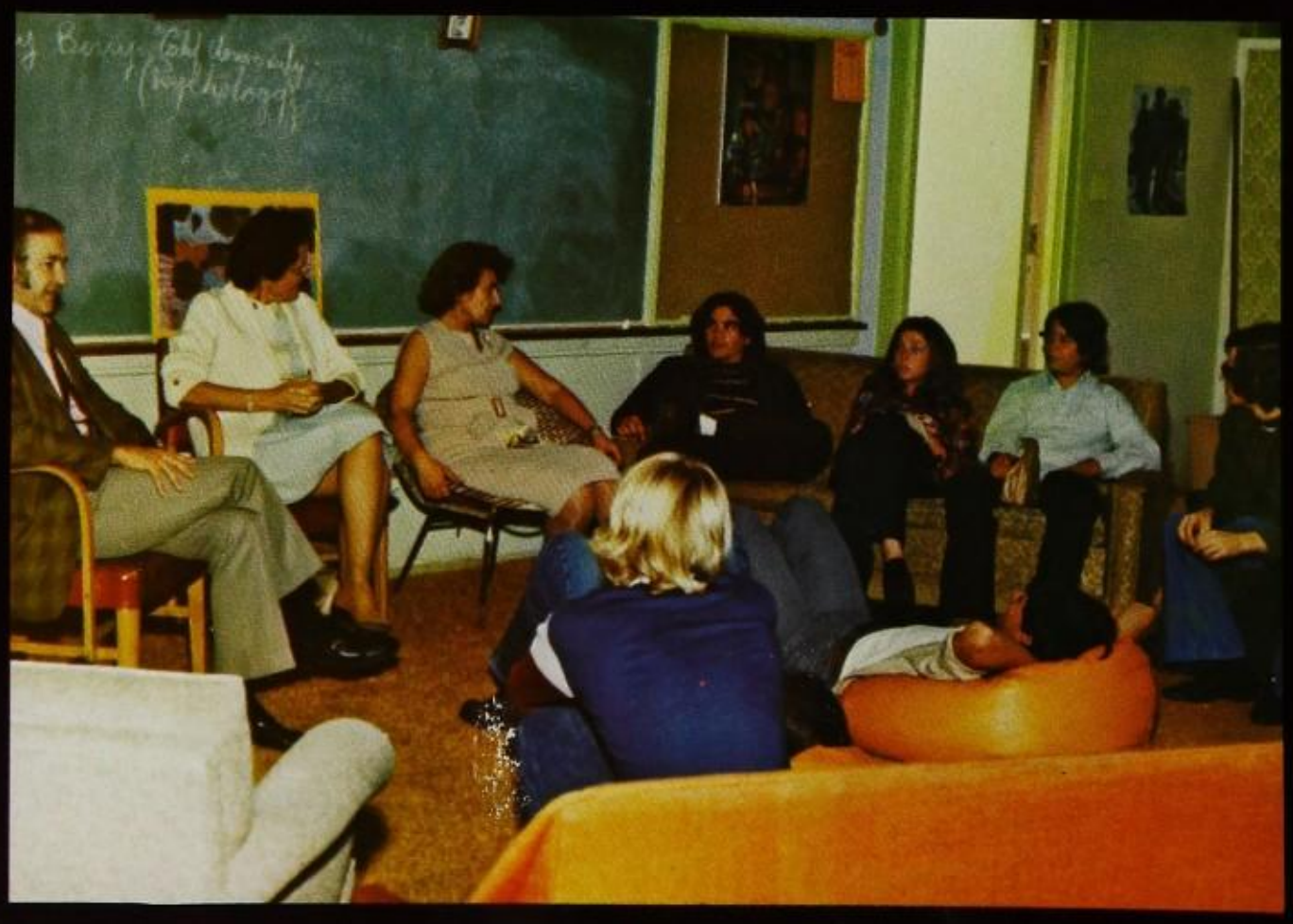
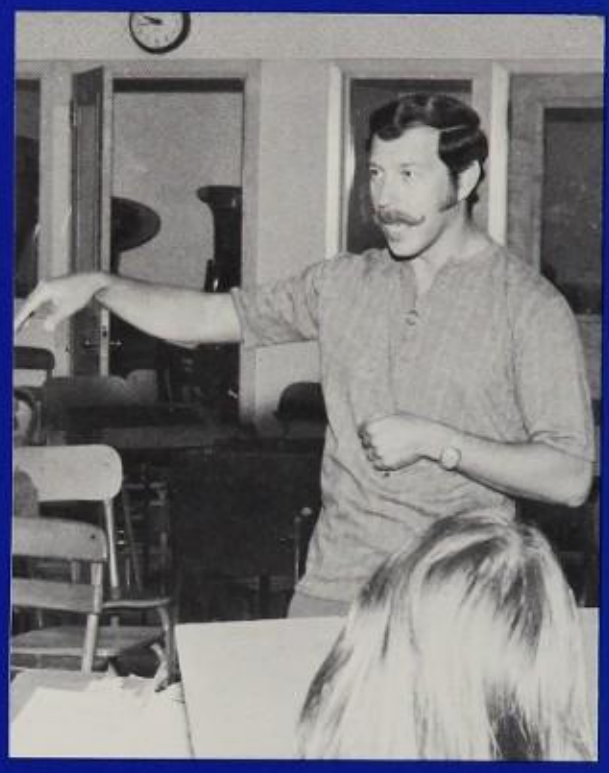
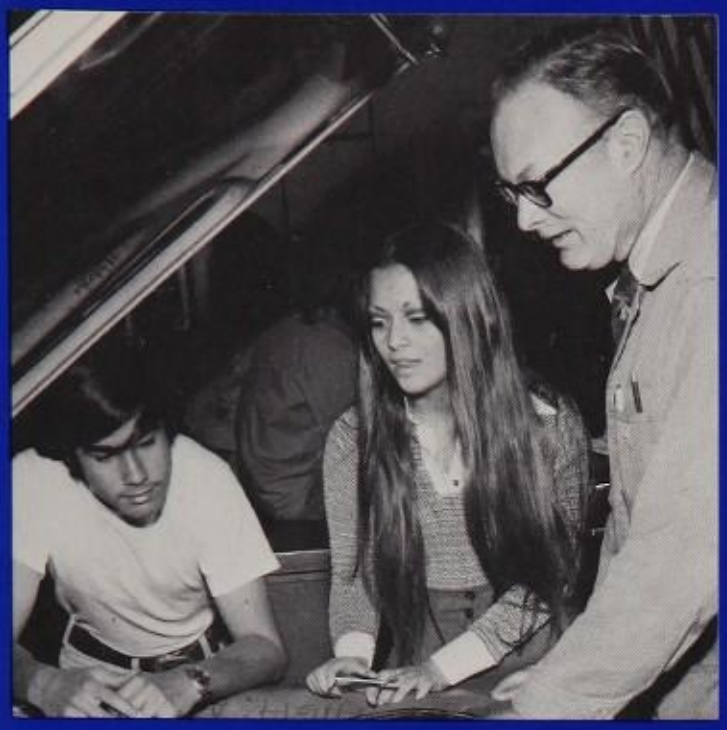
To Enjoy
Life





Working separately and as a whole, our teachers and staff deserve the thanks of generations. For we, and all the other students who have come before us, have gained gifts too precious for their value to be measured in time.





Faculty and Staff

. . . THOSE WHO GUIDE US

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Van Nuys High School means many things to many people. It is a school rich in history and tradition — a school which has grown and developed along with the expansion of the community, the San Fernando Valley and the Los Angeles Unified School District.

Thousands upon thousands of young people have graduated from our school in the past and many thousands more will be educated here in the future. It is important that the educational programs and opportunities provided in this continuum match the needs and interests of the students currently enrolled.

This 1972-73 yearbook is a reflection of one year at our school. It stands between the history and traditions of the past and the changes and aspirations of the future. Its pages graphically depict the programs and activities, the opportunities and alternatives, and the students and staff of Van Nuys High School today.

WALKER W. BROWN
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MR. MARTIN KING
Assistant Principal

MRS. MARJORIE MARTING
Assistant Principal

MR. HOWARD LAPPIN
Dean of Boys

MISS JACQUELINE TUCKER
Dean of Girls

MR. HUGH ROUSE
Librarian

MR. JACK DEVINE
Security Officer

MISS JOYCE MUNSON
Director of Curriculum

MR. DON McCALLISTER
Director of Guidance and Attendance

GUIDANCE OFFICE
Counselors Mr. Norman Michel, Mrs. Helen Sekely and Mr. Karl Gunn help solve student problems.

. . . PEOPLE HELPING OTHERS

MAIN OFFICE
Mrs. Bowman, B. Strougo, Mrs. Proud, Mrs. Budde, D. Rude, Mrs. Archer, Mrs. Spivey.

ATTENDANCE OFFICE
Mrs. Siegel and Mrs. Homer.

GUIDANCE OFFICE
Mrs. Davis and Mrs. Holleman.

HEALTH OFFICE
Mrs. Stiglich, Mrs. Kunz, Mrs. Olson, R. Marks.

EMPLOYMENT OFFICE
Mrs. Friedman assists students with matters concerning work experience and job placement.

CAFETERIA STAFF
FIRST ROW: D. Daves, M. Cochran, D. Lee, L. Johnson. SECOND ROW: L. Poltl, P. Ryder, D. Olson, B. Johnson, and B. Brecht.

TEXTBOOK ROOM
Mrs. McBride

CUSTODIANS
B. Westbrook, R. Weiland, J. Park.

STUDENT STORE
Mrs. Lyons and Mrs. Seid.

COLLEGE ADVISEMENT OFFICE
Miss Munson gives her attention to the many students in need of assistance in planning their college future.

OUR RESIDENT SCHOLARS

We hate them; we love them;

Sometimes we would do away
with them altogether.
But they help us to be what
we are
and what we will be.

"Do you expect me to go over the problem again?" exclaimed Mr. Buck.

FRED ARNESEN
Science

JEROME ARONOW
Social Studies

FRANK ASMAN
Physical Educ.

GEORGE BAYHA
English

JANIS BERGSTROM
Physical Educ.

DOROTHY BROTMAN
Physical Educ.

BERNICE CORKHILL
Physical Educ.
Chrm.

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ROBERT DOUCETTE
Art

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JAMES DUNLAP
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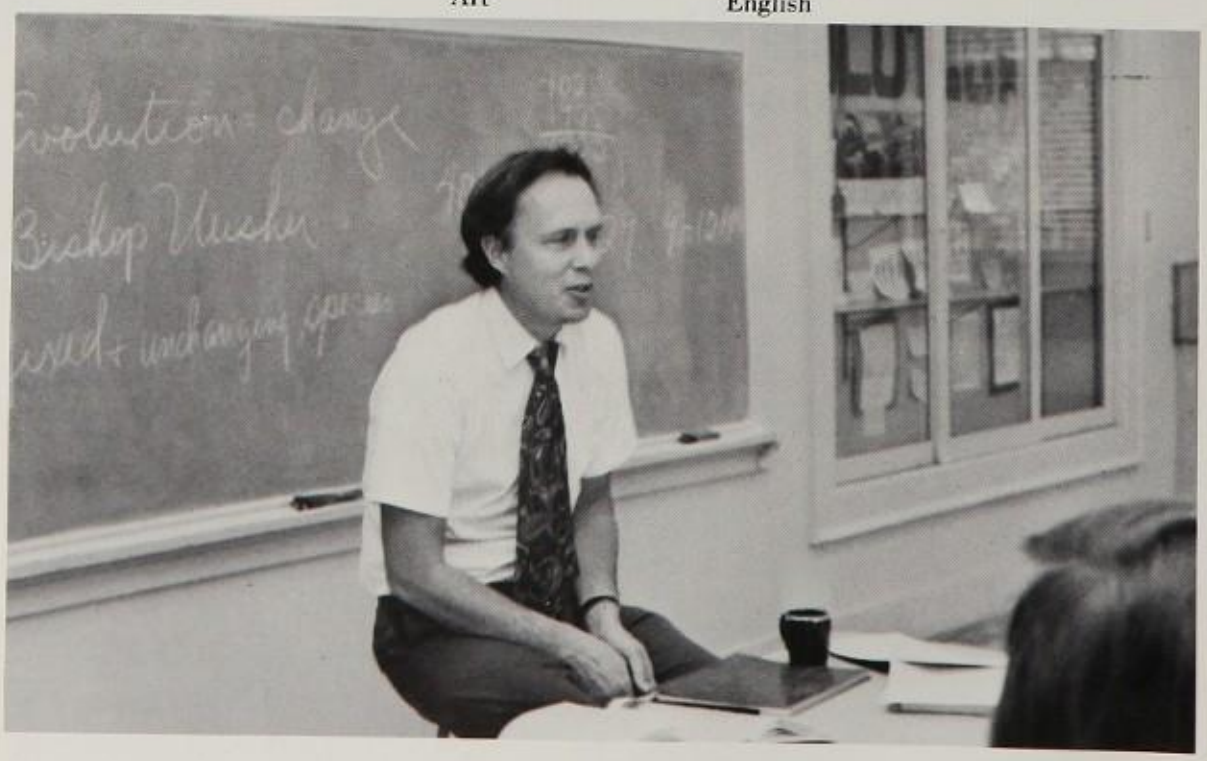

With Rudalles & Purple Regards
Bob Fife

DONALD DUNN
Business Educ.

GEORGE EDGINGTON
Continuation

MORTON FLETCHER
Social Studies

MERRILL FOSTER
English Chrm.

JEANNE FRIEDMAN
Business Educ.

JOHN FRISIUS
English

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Physical Educ.

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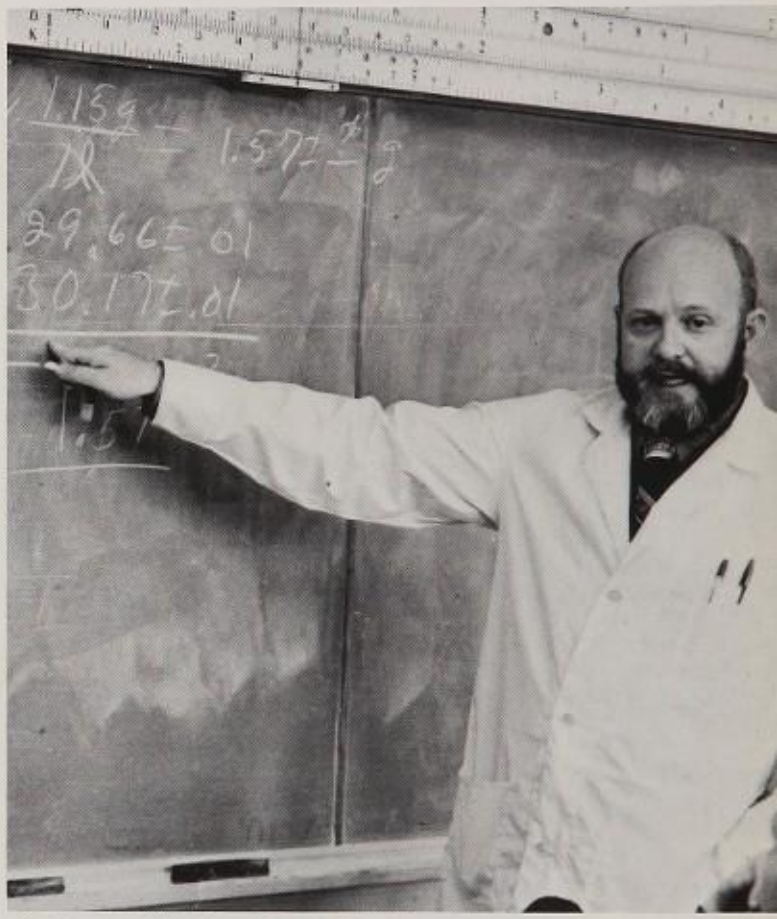
MICHAEL GREGORY
Art



"This is a blackboard, and this is tonight's homework," said Mr. Fife on Friday.

Mr. Downing explains a complicated addition problem to his Algebra/Trigonometry class.

A loud noise surprises Mr. Doerr as he is grading exams.

Mme. Myron trouve que ses étudiants sont très amusants.

KARL GUNN
Guidance

HOWARD GUENTHER
Agriculture

SARAH HALOWELL
Physical Education

MINETTE HARRIS
Home Economics
Chrm.

ARLENE HAUSERMAN
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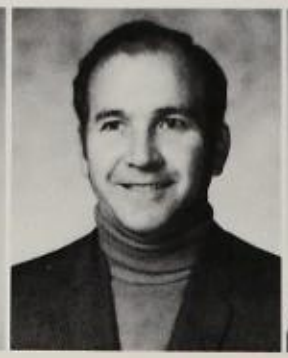
JEAN HENNING
Art Chrm.

LOUISE HOLCOMB
English

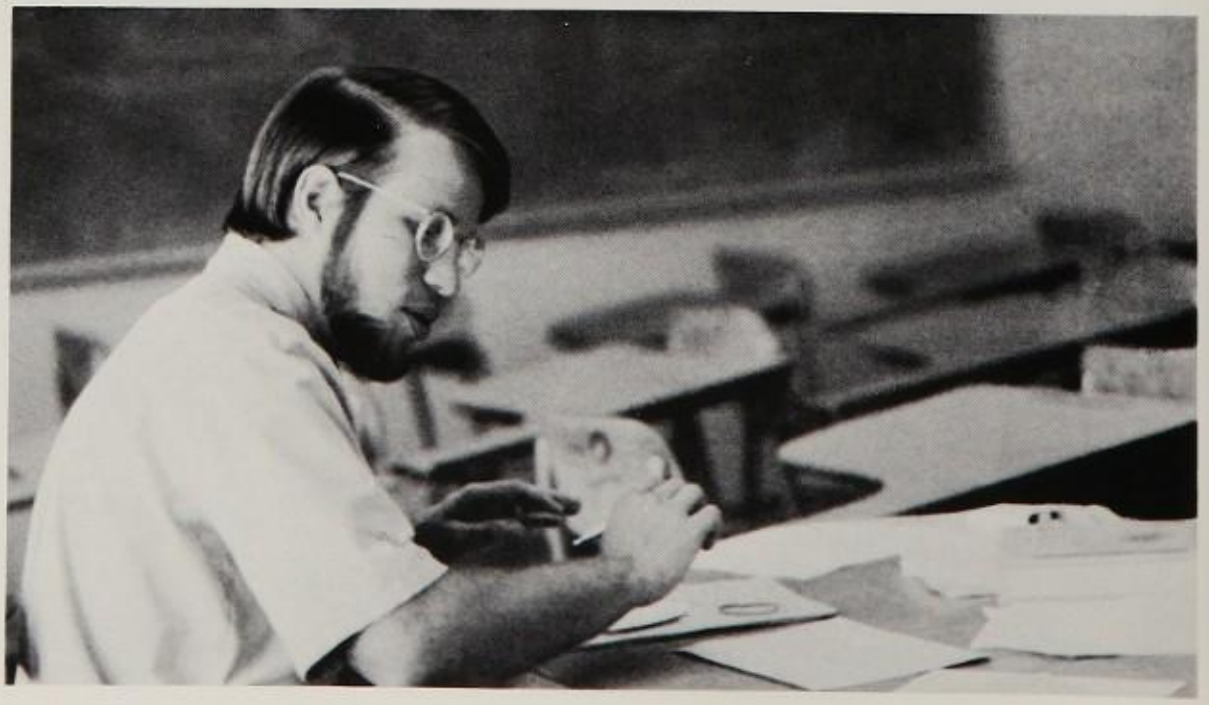
HARRY HOLDREDGE
Science

JASPER HOOD
Business Education



EUGENE HOROWITZ
Health Education
Chrm.

ROY JENDRESEN
English



JOSEPH KELLY
English

WENDELL KIRK
Industrial
Education Chrm.

MAURICE KOPP
Industrial
Education

SIDNEY LASAINE
Music Chrm.

CHARLES LITTLE
Business Education

DANIEL LIVSON
Guidance

KAREN LONG
Mathematics

WESLEY
LUCKSTEAD
Industrial Educ.

TROVIE LYONS
Social Studies

BERNARD
MADWIN
Business Education

TONY
MAGNANTE
Physical Education

GEORGE MAREK
Industrial
Education

A moment of relaxation is enjoyed by Mr. King and Melinda Graham.

Fräulein Jung sagt: "Guten Morgen, Frau Lübke, wie geht's?"

A student's question astounds Mr. Peres.

YVONNE MEO
Art

NORMAN MICHEL
Guidance

EVERETT MILLER
Science

BARBARA MINEAR
E.S.L. Program

LAURICE MYRON
Foreign Language

MERLE NELSON
Science

GRANT NIELSON
Agriculture Chrm.

LEONARD ORTEG
Physical Education

MARVIN PARKER
Science

ROBERT PATTON
Science Chrm.

JOSEPH PAVLIGA
Guidance

FRANCES RAFFETTO
Social Studies

JEAN RAWSON
English

LYLE ROBINSON
Guidance

LLORENTE ROLLOLAZO
Foreign Language

ROBERT ROSENBAUM
English

MARIA ROZSA
Foreign Language

JAMES RUKES
English

ROBERT SANDERS
Mathematics

JOHN SCHMELZER
Foreign Language

HELEN SEKELY
Guidance

DOROTHY SIMMONS
Home Economics

Mr. Sirkus exclaimed, "This is true," when a student told him George Washington wore a wig.

Mrs. Crowell explains an important concept to her class.

RALPH SMITH
Social Studies

ARTHUR SPARKS
Industrial
Education

ROSE
STEINHOUR
Physical Education

WINSTON TUCKER
Physical Educ. Chrm.

MIRIAM UHL
English

JACK VOGT
Physical Education

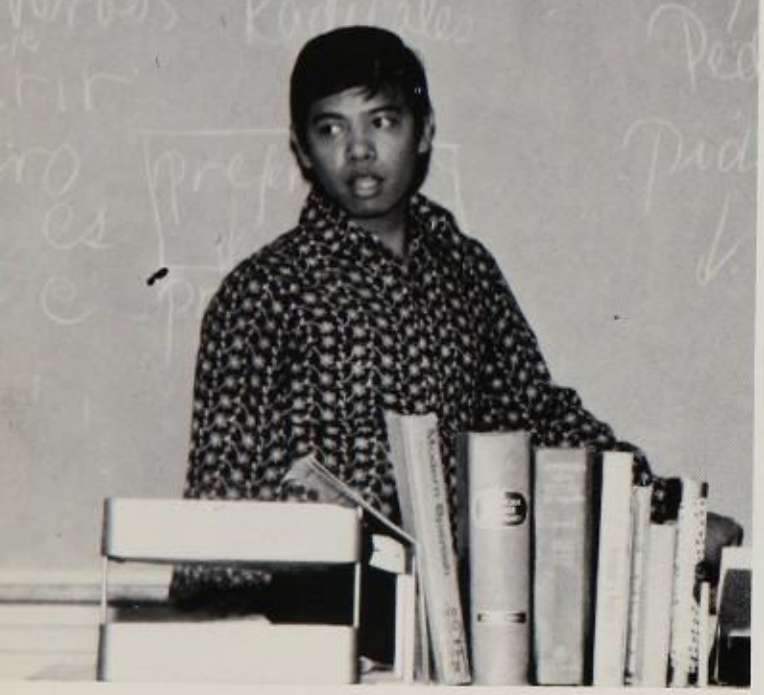
SELMA WALKER
E.S.L. Program

ROBERT
WHITEHEAD
Social Studies

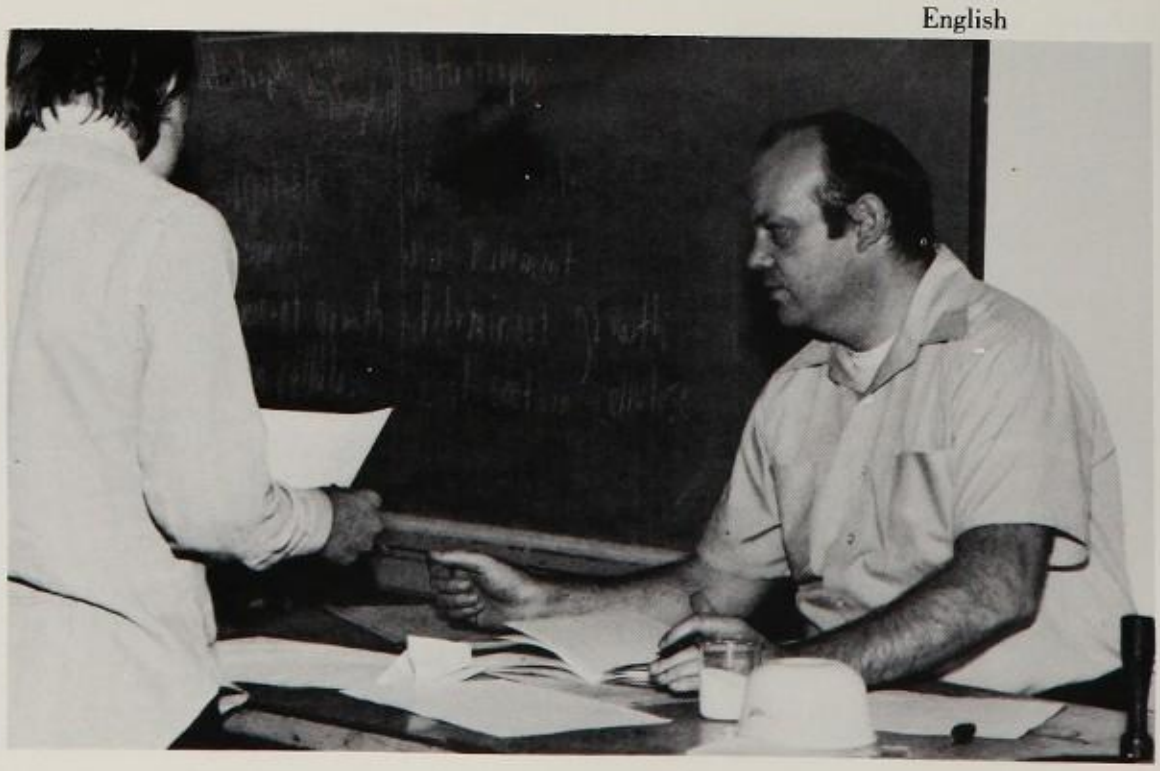
JAMES WILKINSON
Mathematics

VICTOR WOLLMAN
Social Studies Chrm.

BARBARA
YANUCK
English



"Quiero que aprendan bien el uso del subjuntivo," dice el Señor Rollolazo.

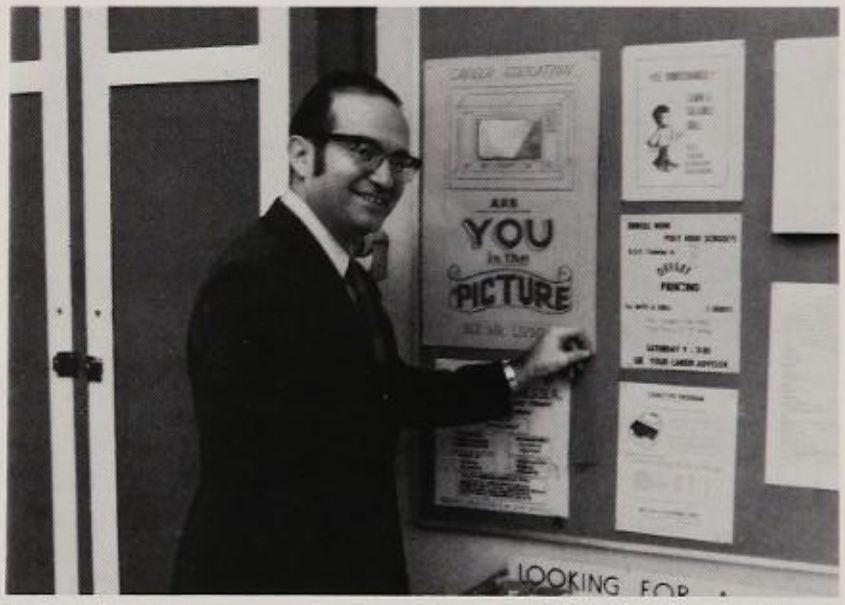


Occupational Center Offers Job Skills

Among the occupational training programs, there are those which give on the job training. Cindi Gartner and Heidi Davis work at King's Western Wear as part of the program.

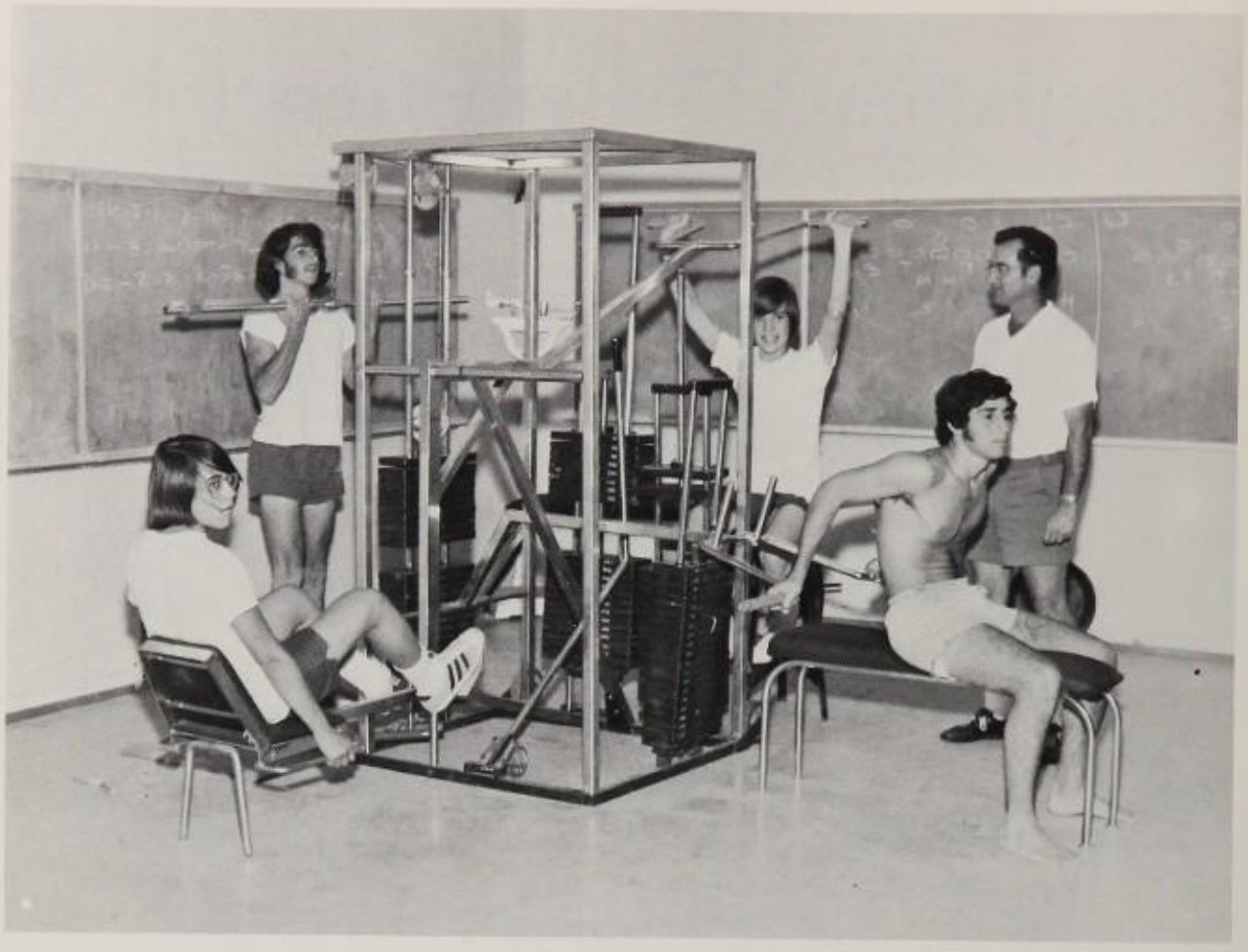
Nancy Davis practices washing hair at the West Valley Occupational Center on her way to becoming a beautician.

At the Occupational Center Nancy Kautianinen skillfully sews together material which will make a very nice dress.



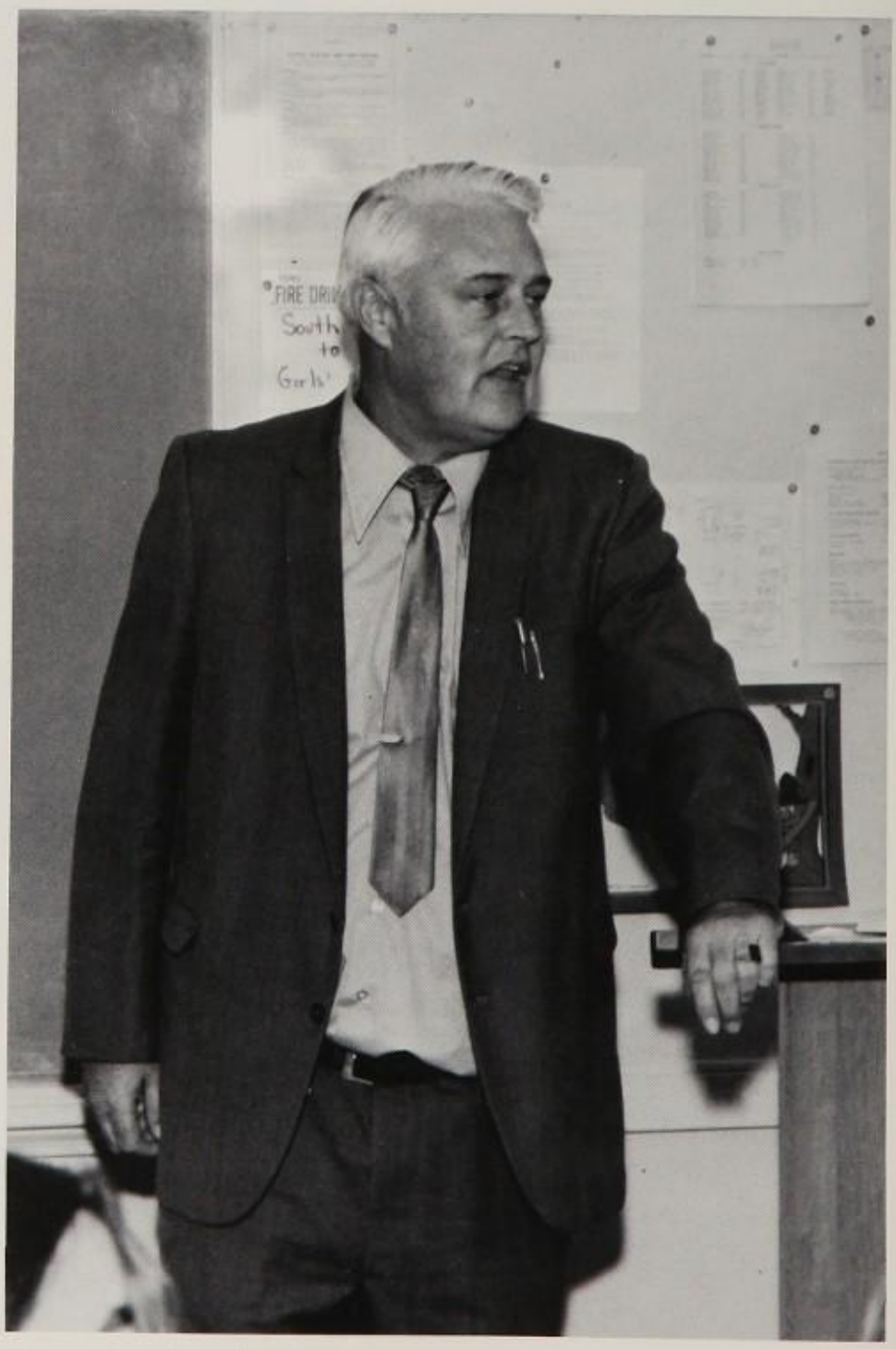
"Have I got a job for you," exclaims Mr. Daniel Livson, career advisor.

Donna Taylor and Liz Albrecht, who worked at Becky's Hallmark Card Shop are engaged in a conversation with a customer.



Young men are given a chance to improve their physiques under the guidance of Mr. Magnante.

Mr. Schmelzer goes about his daily task of checking homework.

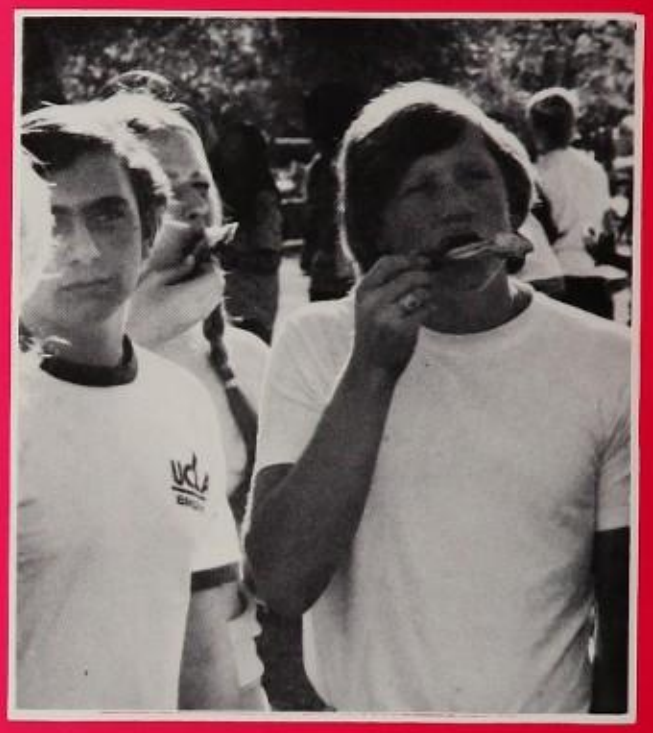


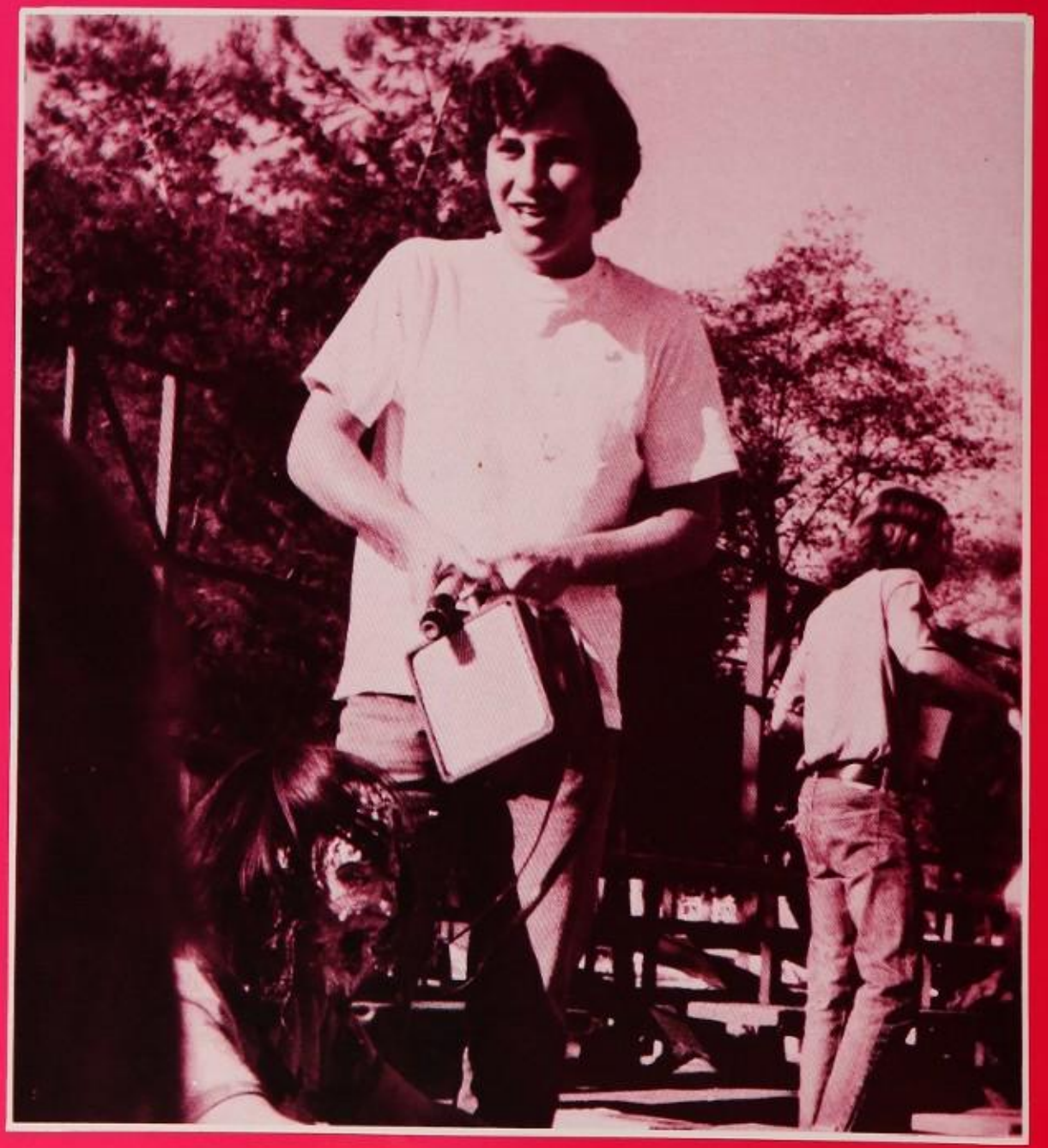
Mr. Frisius expounds upon civilized mankind.

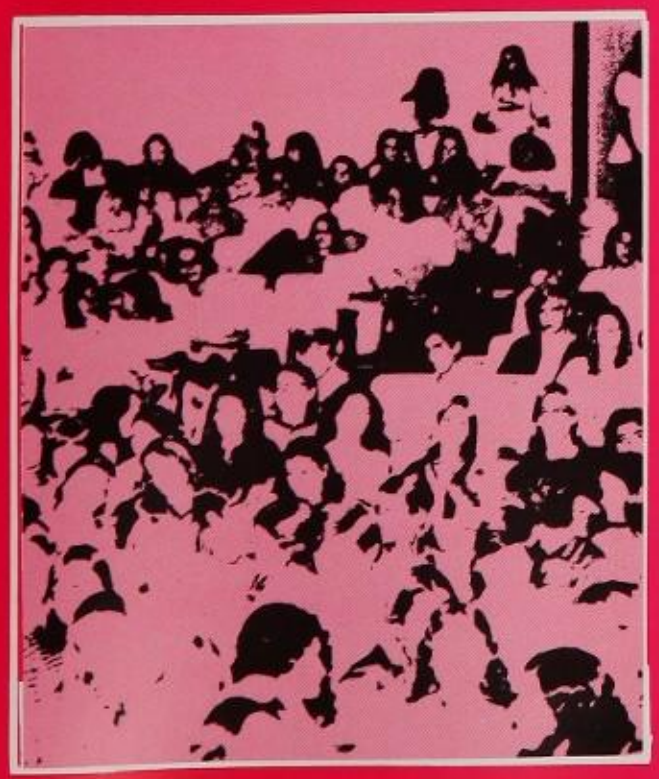
Mrs. Hauserman listens to a girl's reason for not dressing for gym.

Mrs. Meo's art classes make use of various forms of expression.

Farewell to these friends
who will journey further
in life. They will not
be gone, merely absent,
and their presence will
linger on forever.







Seniors

Shantinians

PAM SADEN
Senior Class President

Neil Singer
Boys' Vice President

Ann Loukas
Girls' Vice President

Cathy Tucker
Treasurer

MR. JOSEPH PAVLIGA
Class Sponsor

Louise Dolin
Recording Secretary

Connie Aranda
Corresponding Secretary

Maureen Baun
Corresponding Secretary

Lynda Zicman
Historian

Maureen Baun
Treasurer

Neal Singer
Boys' Vice President

Cheri Dubey
Corresponding Secretary

Lynda Zicman
Historian

Ann Loukas
Girls' Vice President

Kim McNally
Recording Secretary

Cathy Tucker
Publicity

PAM SADEN
Senior Class President

SHANNETTES: Connie Aranda, Marianne Ochoa, Ann Loukas, and Laura Casas.

W '73 Officers Lead Spirited, Active Year

Coming into being were the peaceful ones, the Shantinians. They came to us as members of a concerned generation. A great spirit of togetherness was evident in all of the senior activities, which included Van Nuys' second Homecoming against Birmingham High, with Donna Valencia reigning as Queen; Senior Activity Day in November; the Poster Contest, which was won by Jo Ann Bishop; Roller Skating Night on January 13; and many class meetings throughout the semester.

SHANTINIAN SONG AND YELL LEADERS

FIRST ROW: Nora Ceder, Steve Goodman, Donna Valencia, Lori Ayon. SECOND ROW: Kim McNally, Judd Figatner, Vicki Skryha, Robert Merrell, Susan See, Steve Lively.

STEERING COMMITTEE W '73

FIRST ROW: M. Baun, C. Aranda, L. Dolin, A. Loukas, P. Saden, N. Singer, L. Zicman, C. Tucker, Mr. Joseph Pavliga. SECOND ROW: A. Denny, L. Ferguson, C. Metcalf, S. Goodman, M. Ochoa, S. Hollander, S. Ajamian, P. Palmer, H. Salazar, L. Ayon. THIRD ROW: B. Harness, R. Scribner, D. Swanson, L. Casas, J. Seufert, J. Figatner, J. Corbett, K. McNally.

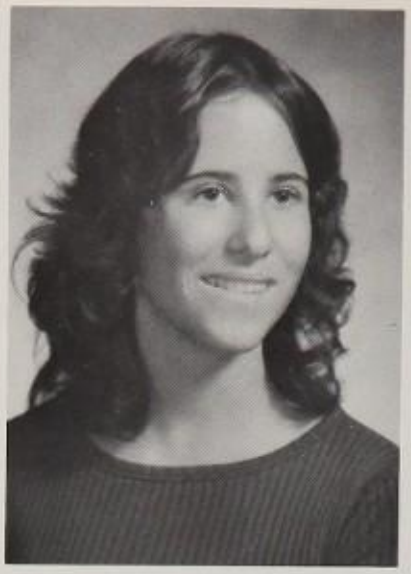
STEERING COMMITTEE S '73

FIRST ROW: M. Baun, N. Singer, C. Dubey, P. Saden, L. Zicman, C. Tucker, A. Loukas, K. McNally. SECOND ROW: M. Zema, S. Ajamian, P. Palmer, D. Weinberg, S. Lively, C. Kay, L. Ayon, C. Sohnen, L. Sharpe. THIRD ROW: G. Felsot, M. Farina, K. Vanderburg, G. Hawbecker, L. Cermak, D. Demaray, S. Burrus, J. Ficks, D. Weitzman, A. Resonable, K. Curtis.

Activity-Packed Year Ends

Shantinian Class officers were kept quite busy during their last semester. On April 23 the Sherman Square Skating Rink hosted the senior/junior roller skating night, sponsored by the senior class. The traditional candlelight supper was held on May 3 at the Proud Bird Restaurant, where various awards were given and the Ephebians were announced. A new idea introduced by the senior class was the "Shanograms," a way in which Van Nuys Students could send their regards to graduating seniors. Piece of Mind, the class bulletin, was printed to break down the communication gap between the officers and class members. The Ambassador Hotel was the site for this year's prom, held on May 26. The most important event of the semester was graduation, which occurred on June 14, followed by Disneyland's annual Grad Night. The graduation of the Shantinian Class marks the end of three years in high school and the beginning of many memorable years to come.

Ann
Bauer



Lisa
Block

Leslie
Cohen

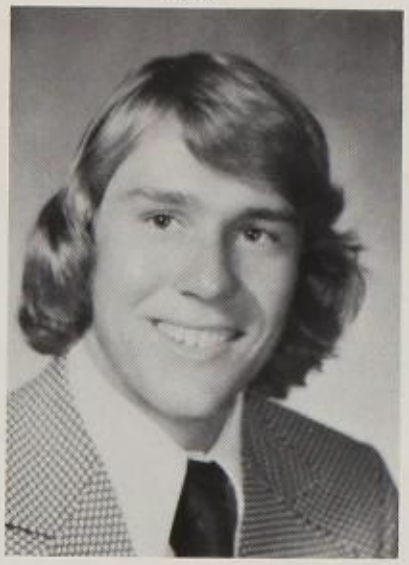
Melinda
Graham

Matthew
Klain

Gary
Kurtzman

Anita
Mork

Pamela
Saden



Richard
Scribner

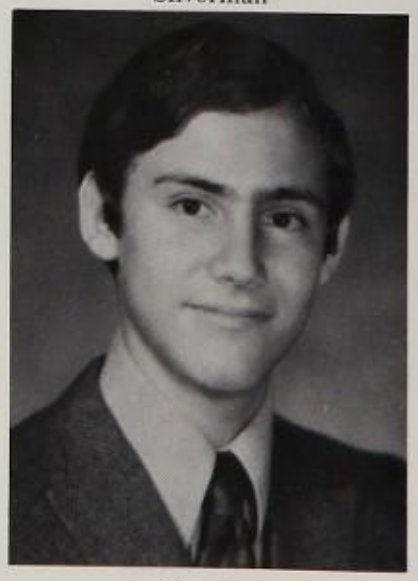
Susan
See

Bradley
Silverman

EPHEBIANS

Becoming an Ephebian is the greatest honor which can be attained by a senior. The Ephebian Society is a service organization with members selected from the Los Angeles area high schools. In order to be considered for this honor, a senior must qualify with outstanding character, leadership ability, scholastic achievement, and school service. Attaining membership in the Ephebian Society brings about responsibilities to lead a life of civic inspiration in the future.

Neal
Singer



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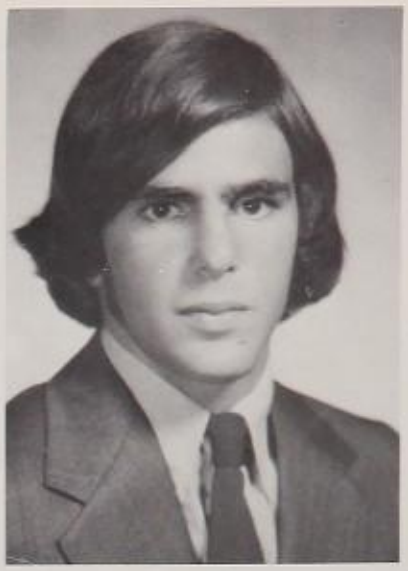

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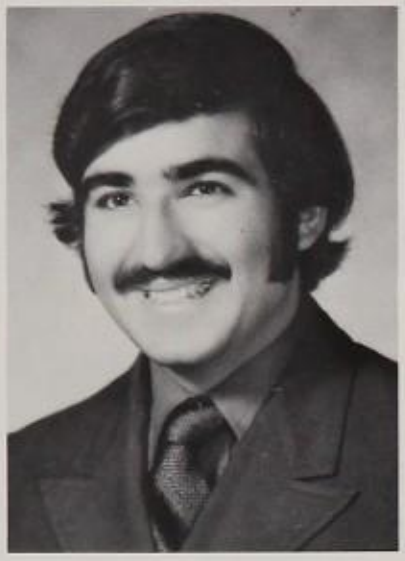

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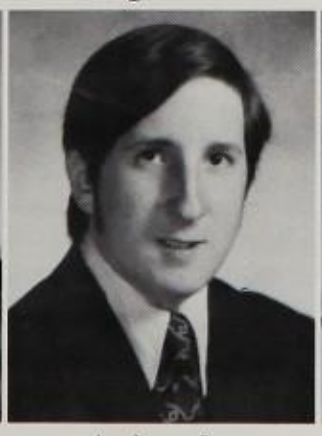

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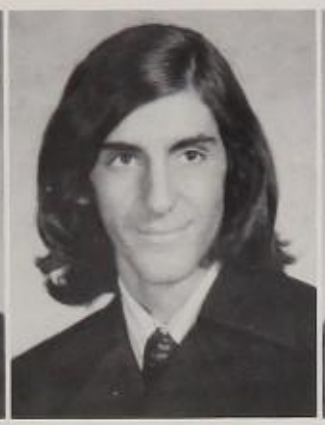

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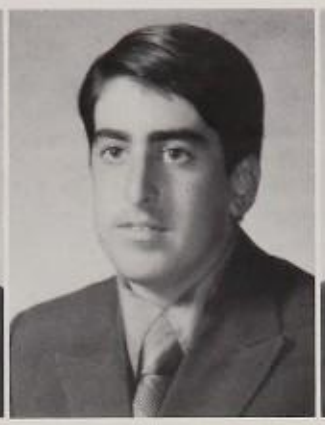

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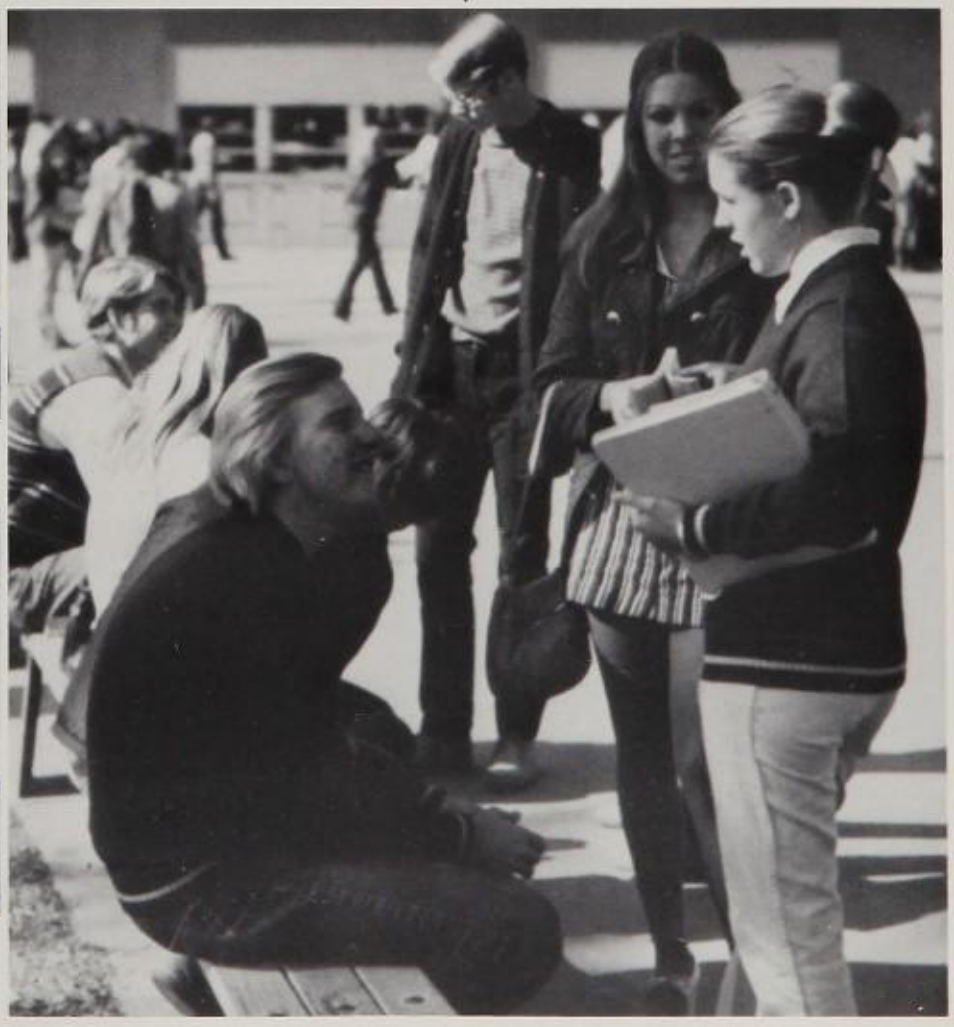

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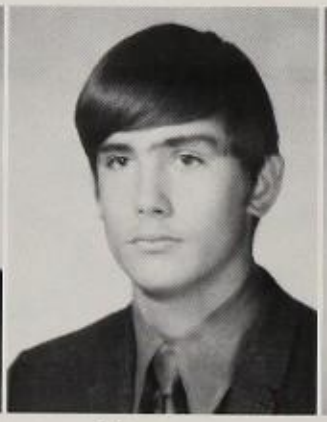

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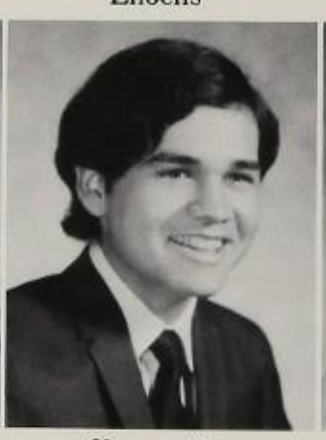

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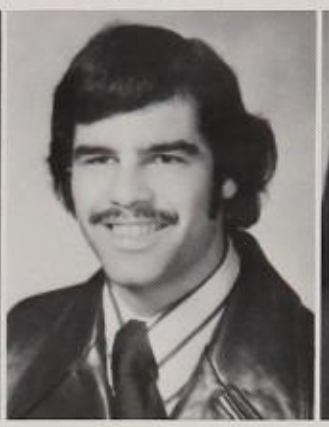

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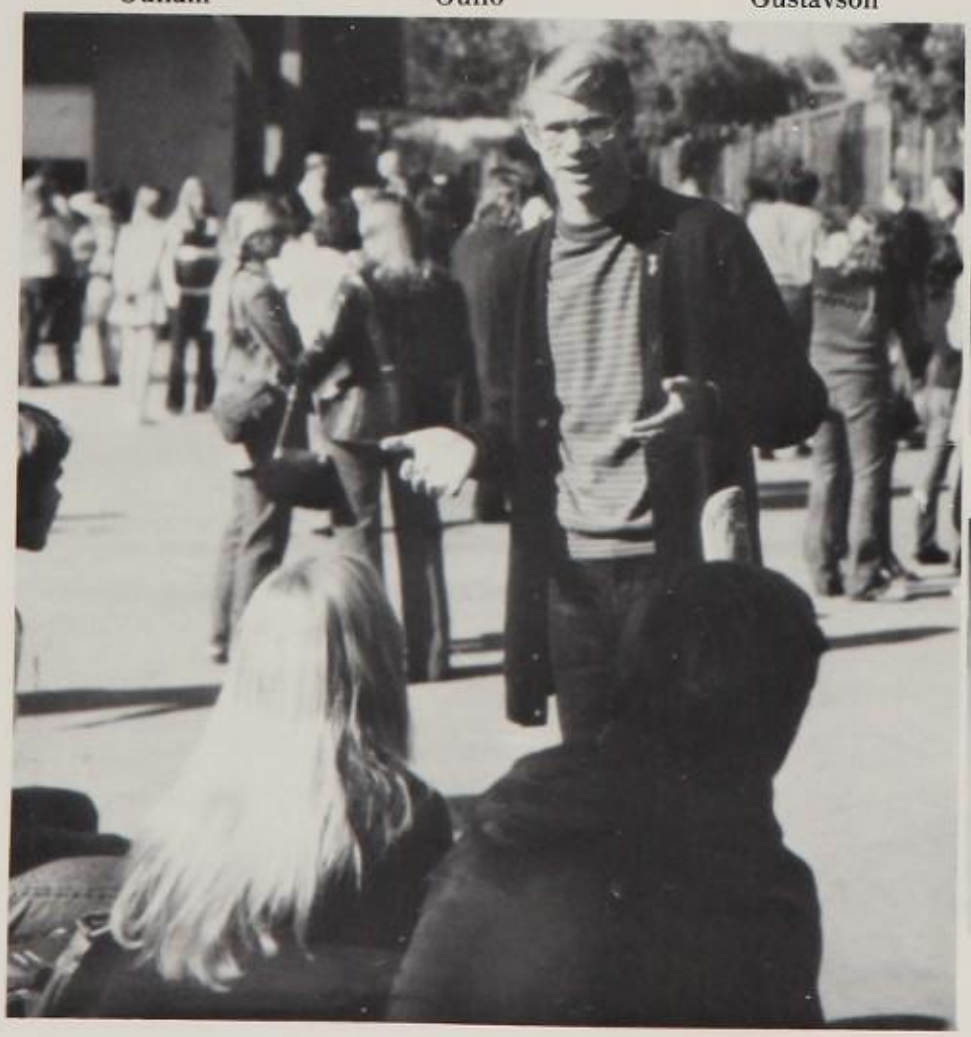

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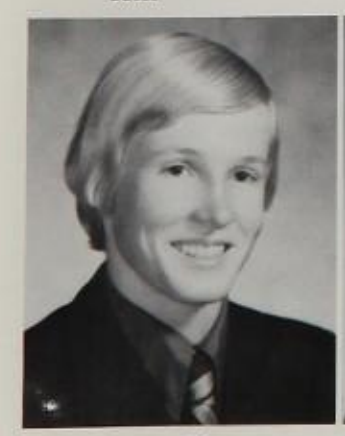

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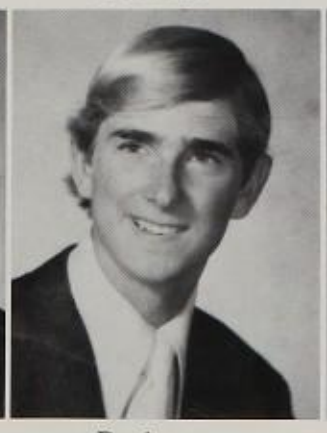

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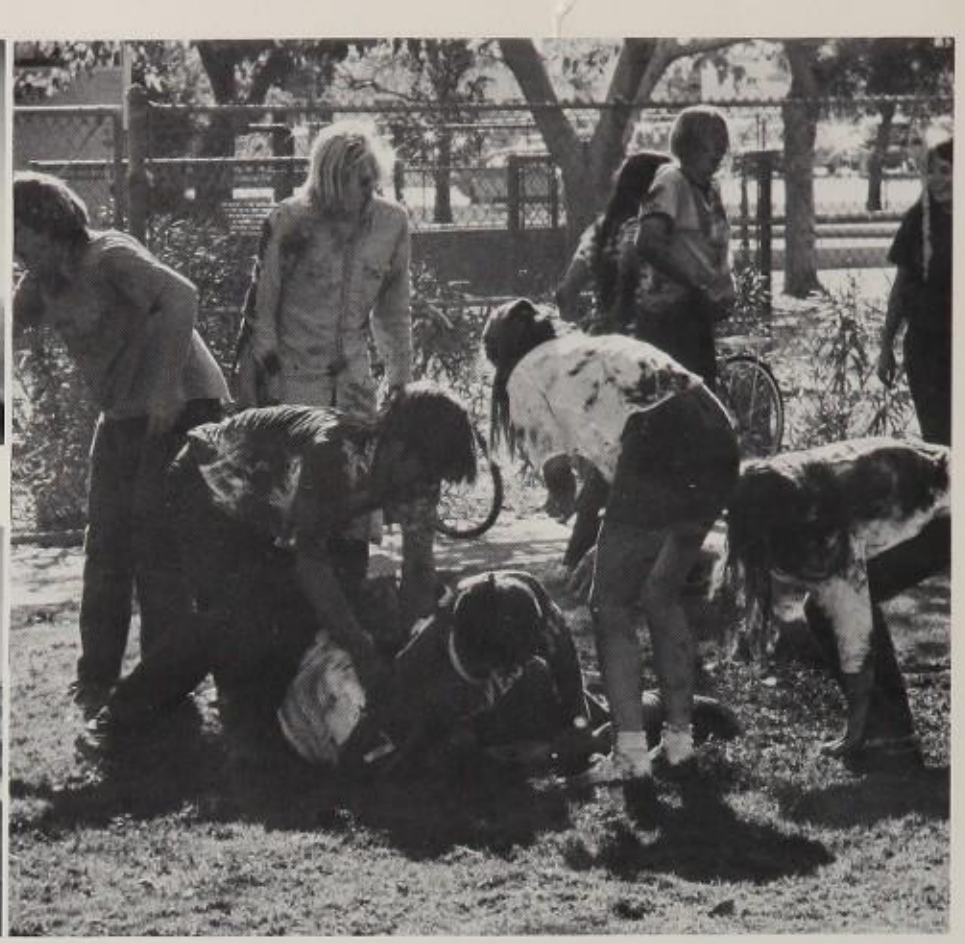

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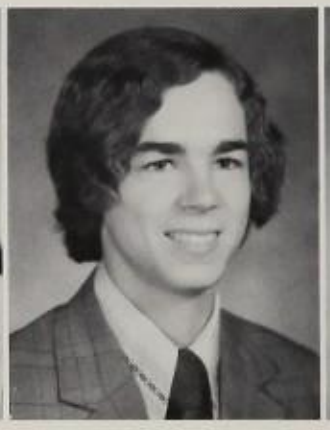

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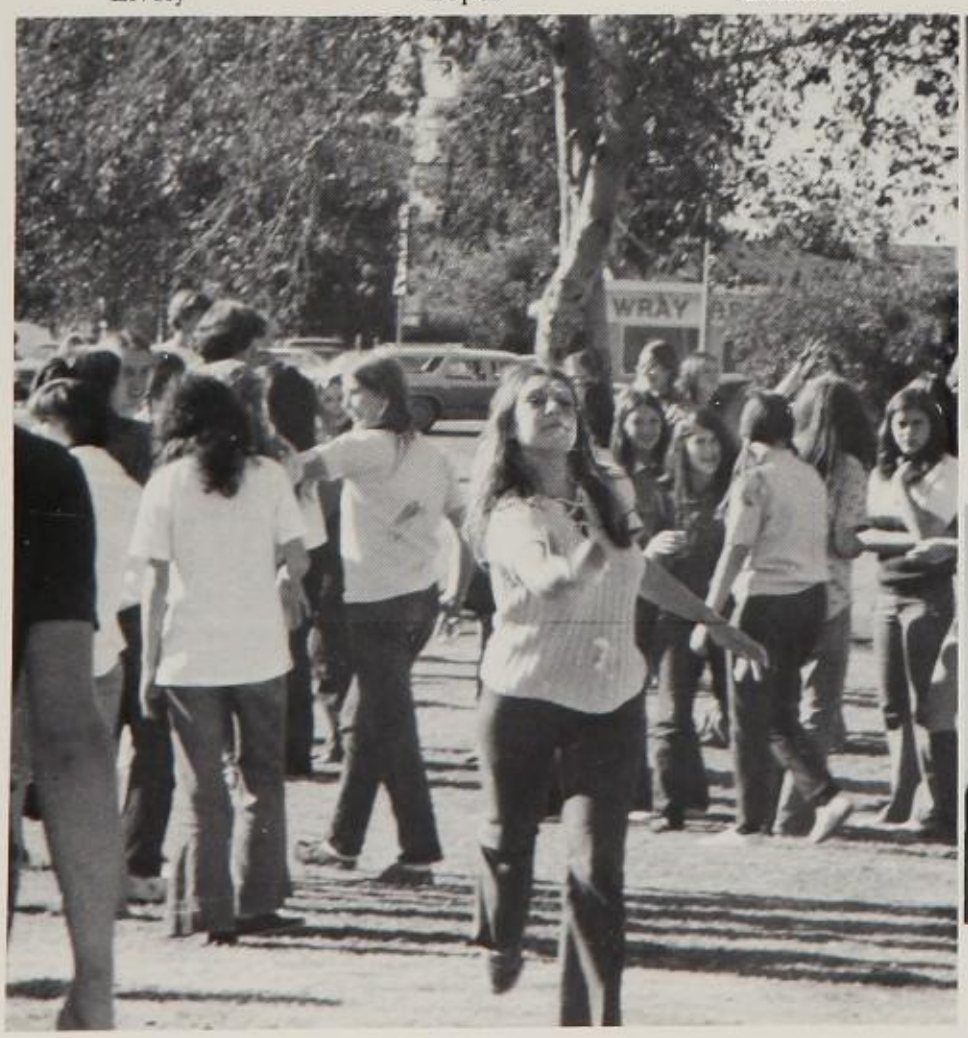

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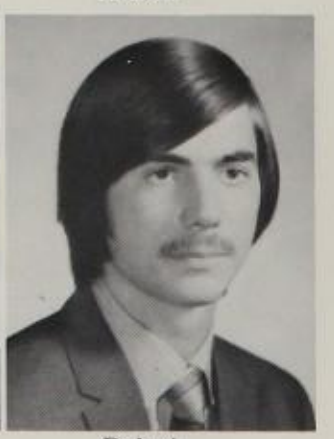

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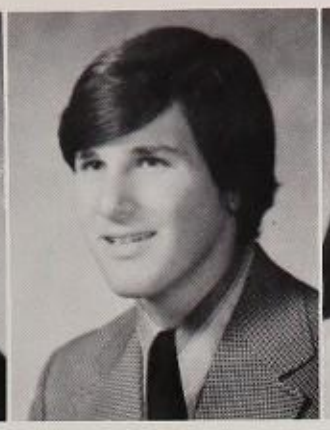

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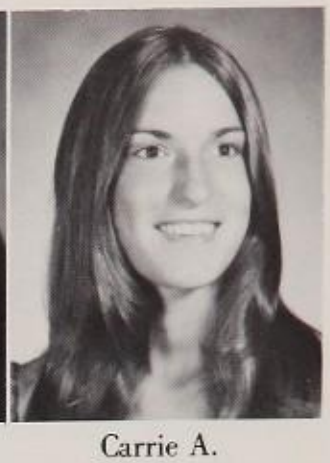

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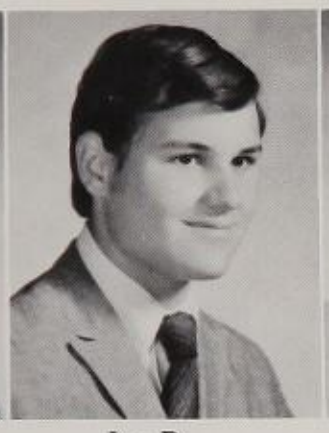

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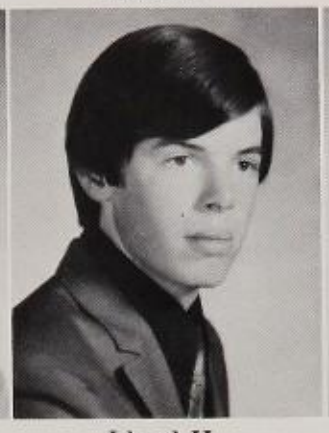

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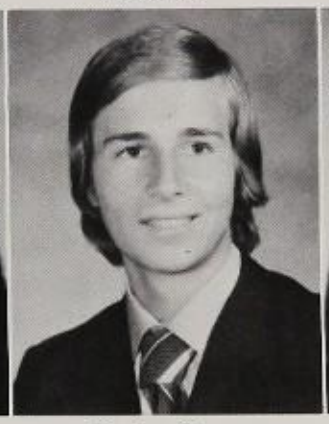

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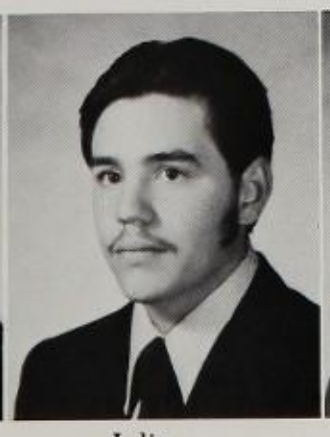

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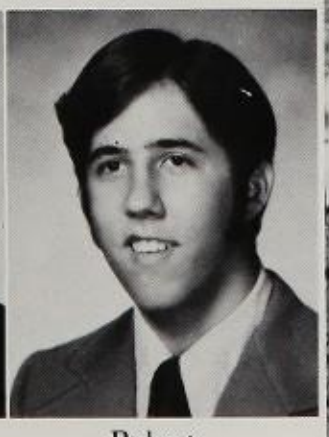

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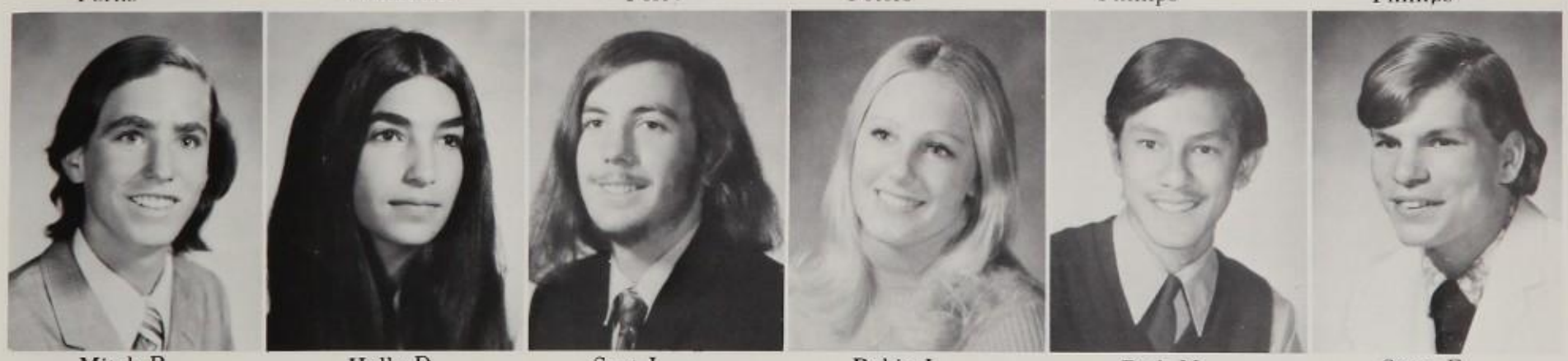

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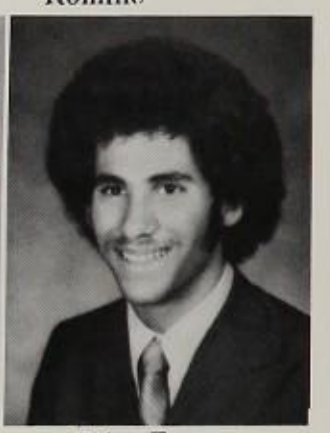

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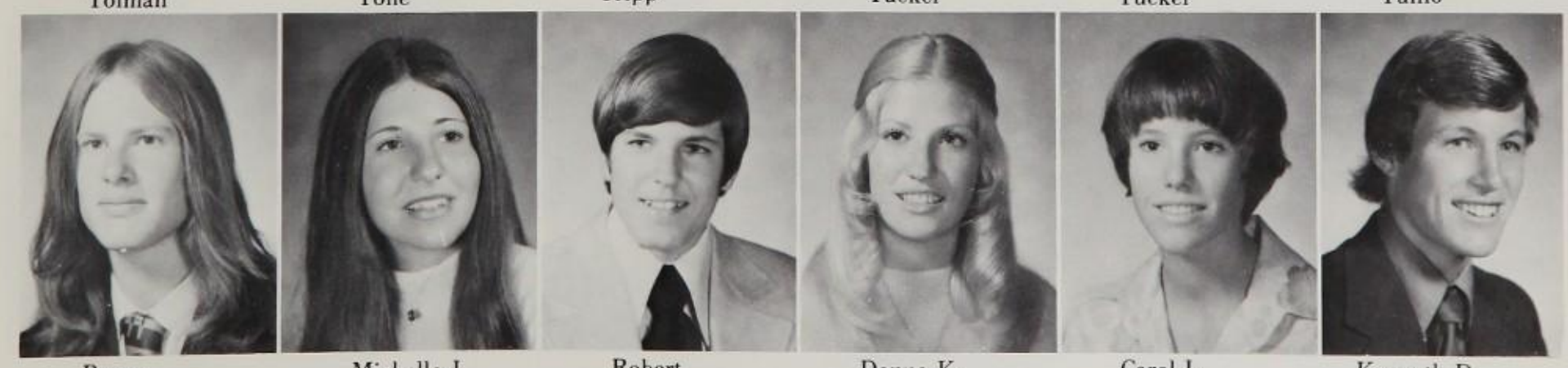

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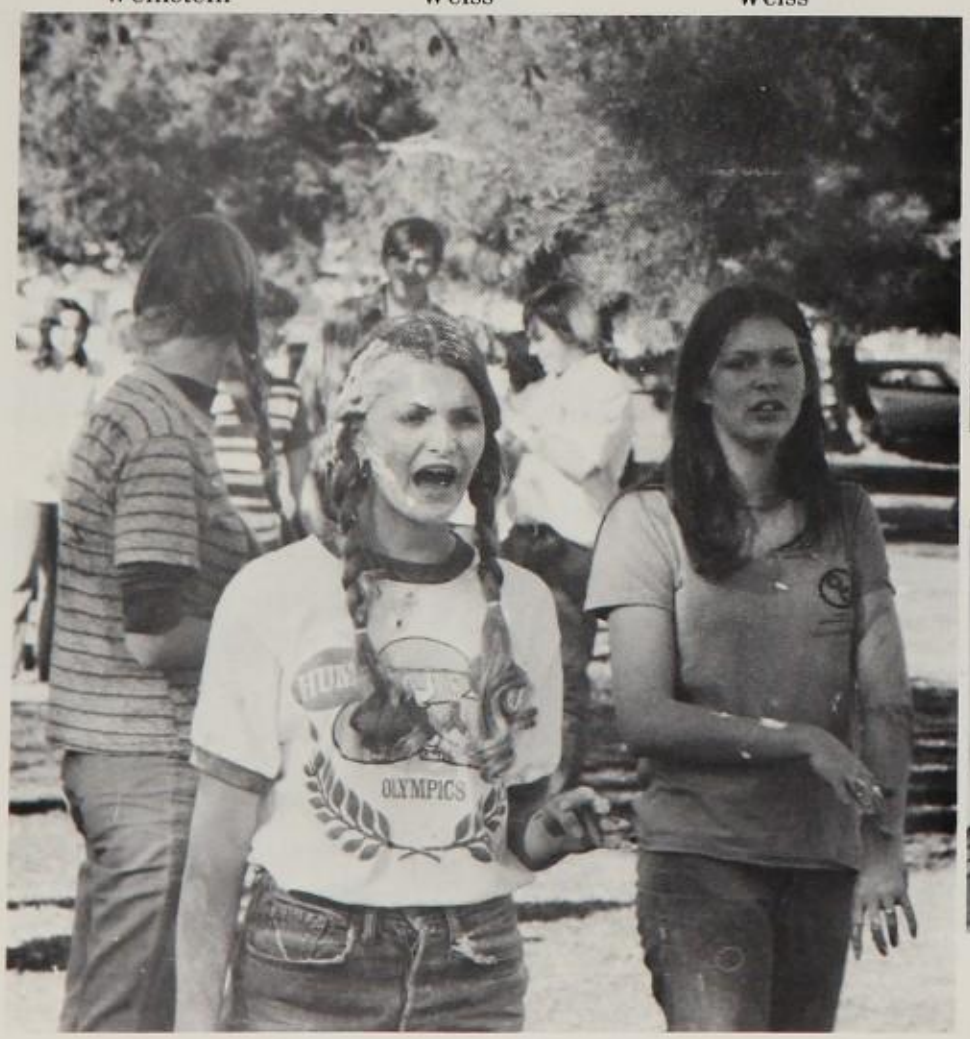

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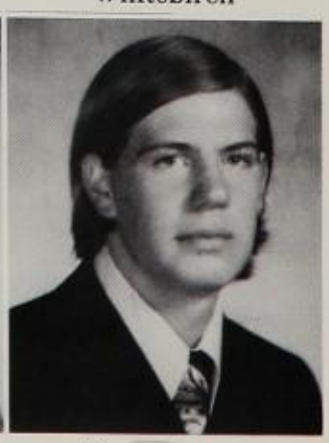

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Lynda M.
Zicman

Maurice
Zwass

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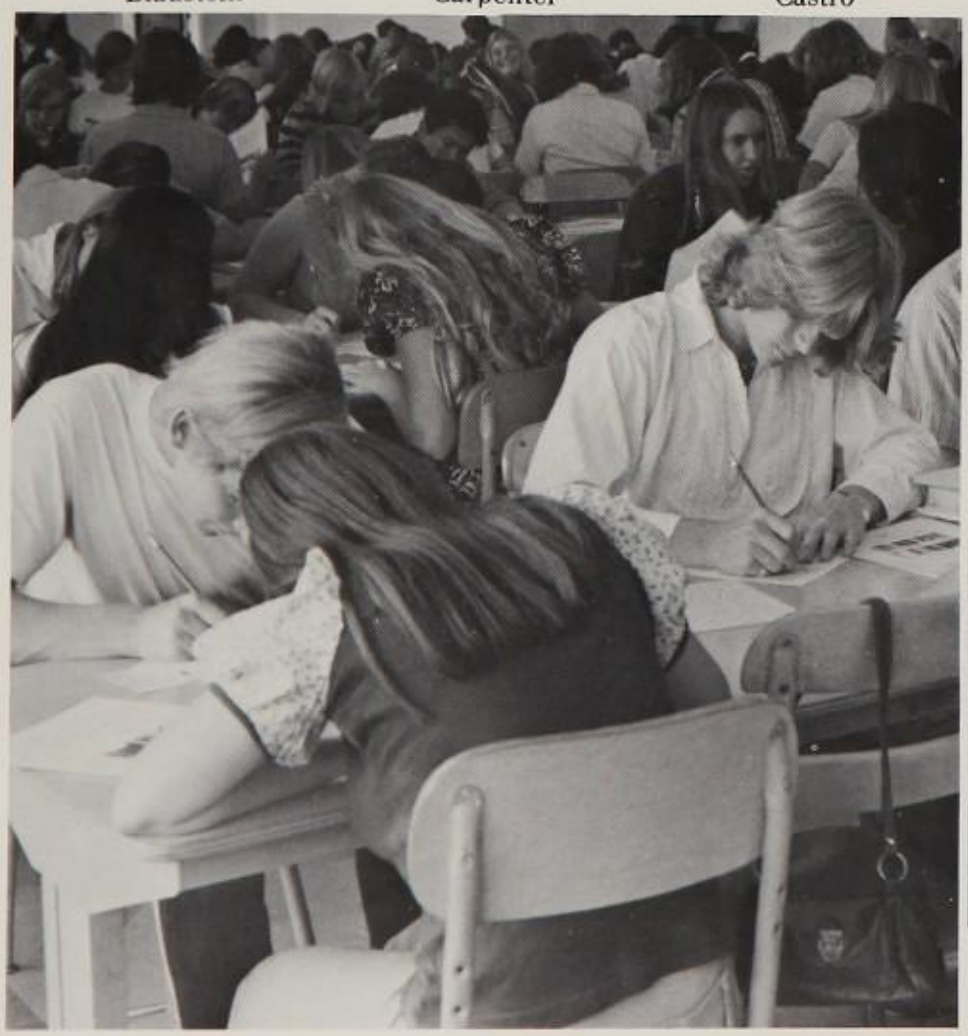

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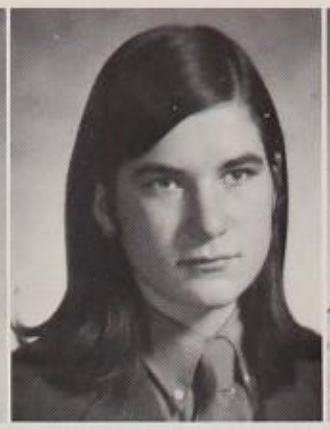

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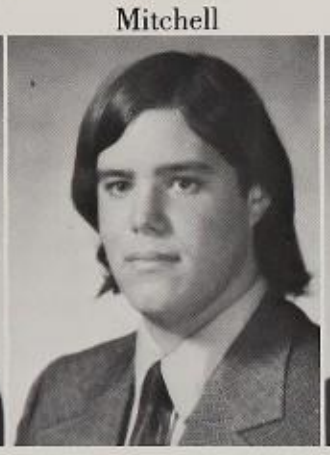

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Teresa
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Nancy
Scholfield

Tadd
Small

Manuel
Suarez

Richard
van Patten

Teresa
Whitcomb

Tracy
Zeldin

Each person holds in his heart the capacity to give, the need to belong, and the desire to strive for personal excellence. Our school organizations fulfilled all of these personal aspects by enabling students to find a whole new world of ideas and activities in which they otherwise might never have been able to participate and . . . in just another moment of time that world will unfold.

Student Life

Board Of Control W '72

Board of Control, led by Josh Epstein with the assistance of eleven other officers, started the year off productively. Some of the accomplishments of Board of Control this winter were the sophomore orientation, tutor program, P.T.S.A. membership drive, and school dances. The main purpose of the Board is to promote communication between students, faculty, and administration and to initiate student body activities.

Michael Paparian
Commissioner of
Clubs

Connie Arroyo
Commissioner of
Publicity

MR. ROBERT WHITEHEAD
Sponsor

Cathy Kay
Commissioner of
Campus Service

Ann Bauer
Commissioner of
Campus Service

Debbie Demaray
Commissioner of
Social Activities

Dee Dee Dickey
Commissioner of
Assemblies

JOSH ESPTEIN
Student Body
President

Cheri Dubey
Girls' League
President

Brad Gepner
Boys' League
President

Stu Lishan
Commissioner of
Education

Pam Saden
Senior Class
President

Gary Kurtzman
Student Body
Treasurer

Lisa Block
Student Body
Secretary

Felice Kurtzman
Representative Council
President

Hans Herrnfeld
Foreign Exchange
Student

B.O.C. Seeks School Program Changes

STU LISHAN
Student Body
President

Bob Cohen
Tenth Grade
Representative

Stuart Dubey
Junior Class
President

Lisa Block
Commissioner of
Education

Steve Rothfeld
Commissioner of
Publicity

Laurie Gibberman
Commissioner of
Social Activities

Naomi Warren
Commissioner of
Clubs

B.O.C., the governing body of the students, works to adapt to the needs and wants of the students and to devise meaningful programs to provide for these needs and wants in whatever way they can. During the summer semester the board proposed more classes of interest to the students, instituted a program to cut down on the vandalism in the school, installed a public address system in the quad, considered proposed new unit requirements for graduation, and sponsored a "Walk for Development." On April 12 there were two play productions, "Bald Soprano" and "Here We Are," by the Renaissance Repertory Theatre Company. B.O.C. members also worked on the budget for next year, which would include activity cards and more funds for adventures in academic classes. B.O.C. worked hard this year and achieved much for our school.

Heidi Beckmann
Foreign Exchange
Student

Pamela Saden
Senior Class
President

Helga Ihsle
Commissioner of
Campus Service

Susan See
Commissioner of
Assemblies

Leslie Cohen
Girls' League
President

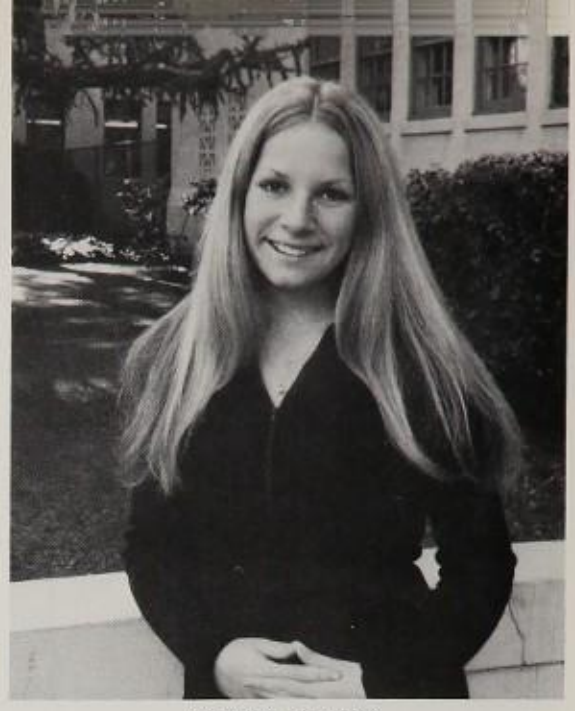
Dick Scribner
Boys' League
President

Jan Seufert
Student Body
Secretary

Mike Paparian
Representative Council
President

Gary Kurtzman
Student Body
Treasurer

GIRLS' LEAGUE BOARD W '73
FIRST ROW: L. Stong, M. Baum, C. Dubey, B. Green, S. See. SECOND ROW: D. Borok, S. Hollander, C. Weinstein, L. Cohen, C. Vallely, C. Kay, S. Berkowitz, C. Metcalf, P. Saden. THIRD ROW: C. Tucker, L. Zicman, A. Spector, C. Laurance, H. Ihsle, J. Rardin, M. Kliefoth, B. Gould, A. Mork, J. Shahan, K. Brant, M. Durbin. FOURTH ROW: V. Schmid, C. Henry, A. Bauer, D. Thorburn, T. Yanuck, S. Weisbard, S. Frantz, T. Tullio, B. Stratton, L. Gibberman.



CHERI DUBEY
Girls' League President

Girls', Boys' Leagues Actively Involve Students

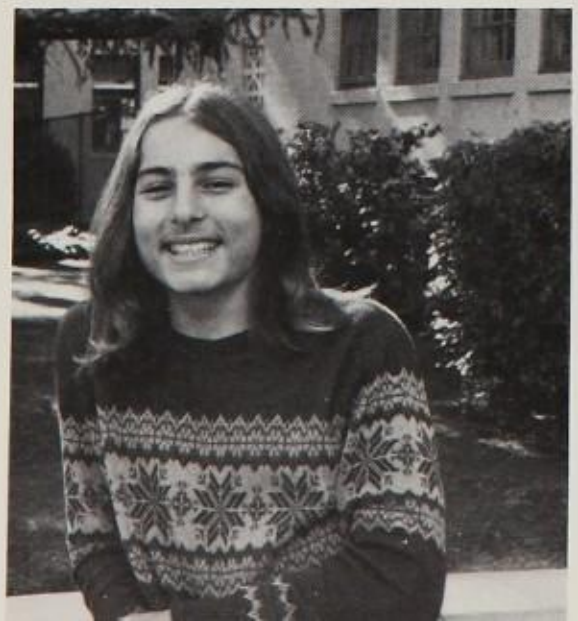
Under the supervision of a new sponsor, Mrs. Caroline Ramos, Girls' League prepared for its upcoming events. Such activities included a canned food drive, spirit day, and a snatch breakfast with Boys' League Board. Girls' Council served as committees for the various activities.

Boys' League Board conducted many activities for the boys at school. They continued with the difficult task of selecting an athlete of the week. They also helped in the forming of and working with the tutorial system. Boys' League is an interesting club for boys to get involved in.

GIRLS' COUNCIL
FIRST ROW: D. Sanders, L. Maxwell, S. Fischer, J. Burk, S. Weisbard, D. Searle, J. Peterson, L. Cohen, D. Delaney, D. Demaray, C. Kay, S. See, K. Subbotin, S. Berkowitz. SECOND ROW: D. Kanner, D. Boole, D. Newsome, V. Markley, A. Cramer, L. Coffee, M. Muchnick, A. Cramer, P. Gustavson, B. Gould, A. Simsarian, L. Pfening, C. Arens. THIRD ROW: D. Muhlethaler, L. Albrecht, S. Bernstein, S. Finney, N. Kennedy, A. Okuneff, G. Mitchell, B. Friedman, D. Orlowski, L. Dolin, J. Seufert, L. Sharpe, B. Stratton, J. Shahan, L. Gibberman, L. Grubbs.

BOYS' LEAGUE BOARD W '73
FIRST ROW: J. Epstein, S. Lively, P. Rosemark, B. Gepner, S. Ajamian. SECOND ROW: J. Figatner, R. Sherry, S. Rothfeld, N. Rabin, D. Brainin, D. Weitzman, G. Kurtzman, M. Zwass, S. Dubey, S. Goodman, N. Singer.

BRAD GEPNER
Boys' League President



BOYS' LEAGUE BOARD
D. Scribner, S. Lively, R. Sherry, J. Figatner, B. Wolk, B. Windette.

DICK SCRIBNER
President

Girls' League, Boys' League Encourage Unity

Girls' League Board helps to build friendship among the girls of our school by involving them in school activities such as Girls' Week, a newsletter, and participation in the SFV Girls' League Board Conference.

Girls' Council develops the committees for Girls' League and helps plan the activities which provide for fun and entertainment for all students.

Representing the Boys' student body of the school and promoting spirit and unity is among the purposes of Boys' League Board. The Board plans projects for the boys, including Boys' Week.

GIRLS' COUNCIL
FIRST ROW: J. Saleeby, J. Burk, S. Fischer, M. Kliefoth, S. Berkowitz, S. See, C. Kay, L. Cohen, W. Block, C. Weinstein, C. Sohnen, L. Dolin, C. Grella. SECOND ROW: E. Babani, K. Hammock, H. Ihsle, D. Demaray, S. Rowland, J. Pratty, D. Dickey, G. Casas, A. Cramer, N. Warren, K. Klugman, N. Cedar, J. Whitehorn, C. Allen, A. Cramer, R. Brinley. THIRD ROW: K. Sheets, R. Ochoa, L. Maxwell, J. Person, S. Weisbard, J. Peterson, C. Arens, E. Pressman, D. Newsome, A. Mork, J. Furgatch, L. Coffey, L. Greinetz, S. Burkdoll, E. Habeeb, L. Albrecht, K. Kohn, K. Gluck. FOURTH ROW: G. Gotelli, A. Simsarian, C. Hunter, A. Lee, A. Baby, V. Szeremeta, I. Brainless, A. London, J. Barragan, D. Cary, L. Pfening, J. Blankinship, C. Andersen, C. Ramirez, L. Ayo, K. Subbotin, R. Arpaia.

LESLIE COHEN
President

GIRLS' LEAGUE BOARD
FIRST ROW: C. Metcalf, L. Cohen, C. Kay, S. Lavin. SECOND ROW: K. Hinkle, R. Brinley, D. Dickey, S. Berkowitz, C. Sohnen, A. Bauer, F. Kurtzman, J. Shahan, A. Phillips, C. Dubey, C. Vallely, K. Klugman. THIRD ROW: R. Ridgway, L. Downer, J. Person, J. Peterson, A. Denny, A. Mork, L. Albrecht, M. Durbin, L. Dolin, L. Ayo, L. Stong, S. See, M. Long.

Dramatists Present Three One-Acts

This year Play Production put on three one-act plays, utilizing the talents of the music department for the musical comedy of Passionella from "The Apple Tree." The first production involved a company of seven in "Interview," which is Theatre of the Absurd. The second production included a cast of seventeen in the musical comedy "Passionella," and the third production was a historical anthology of the Revolutionary War called, "Hessian Corporal." Students involved in these productions included Jon Barbour, Kim Brant, Marti Cooper, Sharon Coughran, Dee Dee Dickey, Stuart Dubey, Lori Horwitz, Kathy Karbo, Mark Lottman, Laurie Lusher, Bob Oliker, Cindy Robinson, V. J. Shrout, Chris Taylor, Tom Wahnsiedler, and Toni Yanuck.

Row, row, row your boat.

INTERVIEW: C. Robinson, D. Dickey, C. Taylor, M. Lottman, B. Oliker, L. Lusher, J. Barbour.

Passionella (Lori Horwitz) was a movie star.

Ella was a chimney-sweep.

The Hessian Slaughter. BOTTOM: Jon Barbour, Chris Taylor. STANDING: Laurie Lusher, Toni Yanuck, Dee Dee Dickey, Cindy Robinson, Marti Cooper, Sharon Coughran, Kim Brant, V. J. Shrout.

Laurie Lusher was a brat.

Masquers And Thespians Plan Busy Year For All Dramatists

Masquers, which consisted of senior members of Thespians, sponsored their annual Masquers' Tournament for all students in the school. They also joined with Thespians for other activities. Thespians planned trips to various theatrical shows. Thespians is open to any student at Van Nuys High School who has an interest in drama and meets national qualifications. Both clubs are under the supervision of Mrs. Barbara Yanuck.

MASQUERS

FIRST ROW: C. Taylor, T. Wahnsiedler, J. Barbour, K. Brant, B. Green. SECOND ROW: D. Dickey, L. Lusher, D. Borok, M. Lottman, M. Cooper.

THESPIANS

FIRST ROW: D. Dickey, C. Ayers, L. Lusher, B. Green, K. Brant, D. Borok, C. Vallely, Mrs. Barbara Yanuck. SECOND ROW: K. Dracup, A. Spector, C. Laurance, C. Taylor, J. Barbour, M. Lottman. THIRD ROW: K. Grant, P. Lederich, L. Horwitz, H. Ihsle, T. Yanuck, S. Dubey.

COMOS
FIRST ROW: A. Cramer, President C. Weinstein, K. Grant, M. Pacheco, Mrs. Barbara Yanuck. SECOND ROW: A. Cramer, P. Mazzone, D. Delaney, R. Doherty, A. Lee, G. Zive, L. Coffey. THIRD ROW: D. Walit, T. Kibritjian, P. Lederich, L. Ayo, A. London, S. Silva.

Involvement In Dramatics Encouraged

Comos is an introductory drama class designed to promote involvement and experience in dramatics. Not only is this club of great benefit to its members, but it uses dramatic talent to serve the community as well. Some of the many activities of Comos this year included going to the theater and performing plays for the children in the community.

USHERS
FIRST ROW: G. Saul, L. Zicman, P. Palmer, J. Snodgrass. SECOND ROW: T. Ayer, T. Kendall, President B. Elterman, R. Fleischner, P. Weiss.

Ushers Serve At Programs

Ushers Club is one of the oldest service organizations at Van Nuys High School. The members pass out programs and quickly seat people at most of our plays and assemblies. This year they also ushered at our school games.

STAGE CREW
FIRST ROW: B. Olsen, B. Shapiro, M. Verderosa, B. Gallardo. SECOND ROW: P. Meyerhoff, R. Stayton, Stage Manager F. Galliazzo.

Stage Crew Helps With Auditorium Presentations

Stage Crew, under the direction of Mr. Wesley Luckstead, was in charge of handling lights, sound, and special effects. Besides helping with the presentation of plays, the stage crew also handled the music department's concerts, the May Day assembly, and various auditorium activities.

Vannaires Sing For Community And School

The Vannaires, under the leadership of Mrs. Carol Skinner, perform for the community as well as the school. Programs performed by the Vannaires throughout the year included visiting elementary schools, civic groups, and hospitals. Also the traditional Christmas program was presented.

VANNAIRES
FIRST ROW: J. Stark, C. Virtue. SECOND ROW: L. Selfridge, J. Harrah, N. Briones, J. Saleeby, K. Eklund, President S. Lively, Mrs. Carol Skinner. THIRD ROW: P. Gillins, K. Curtis, J. Harrah, D. Zagnoli, J. Talvy, L. Downer.

Members of the Vannaires perform at the Christmas concert.

CHORUS

FIRST ROW: L. Cook, D. Franks, H. Davis, K. Worwa, T. Messina. SECOND ROW: R. Gibson, L. Randolph, M. Fleitas, E. Romano, K. Jones, E. Lawrence, T. Harper.

Choir members rehearse for Spring Concert.

Chorus, Choir Provide Musical Enjoyment For Students

Chorus is an exciting example of the musical opportunity offered to the students of Van Nuys High. It is available to any students who would like to sing, regardless of the singing experience they have had in the past. Those members who wish to, may learn the music for Choir concerts and join in, as they did in the Christmas show.

Choir also caroled around the school and hosted a choir festival for high schools all over California. They also sang with Vannaires in a spring show, and performed at the graduation of our senior class. Both Chorus and Choir are under the direction of Mrs. Carol Skinner.

CHOIR

FIRST ROW: B. McLellan, K. Glasser, S. Lareau, D. Sanderson, L. Friedman, M. Matthews, M. Essak. SECOND ROW: Mrs. Carol Skinner, R. Blue, G. Roberts, P. Kershaw, D. DiLando, M. DeLaMaza, N. Kautrainen, M. Lopez, D. Mullen, L. Cook. THIRD ROW: A. Resonable, D. Cruz, J. Burk, G. Garcia, D. Moore, L. Janofsky, R. Blish, M. Kliefoth, H. Stark, D. Eigel, D. Evons, J. Wiener. FOURTH ROW: N. Jaffee, D. Hickey, S. Wells, L. Butler, I. Mueftizade, C. Henry, V. Schmid, M. Crusberg, J. Stopp, T. Virtue, B. Ochoa, G. Kemp, R. Gibson.

Our Musicians Make Beautiful Music

The year started off with Marching Band performing at football games. Their contemporary songs went well with their new uniforms of sports jackets and turtleneck sweaters. Performing along with the Marching Band and Drill Team at football games were the Flag Girls, five girls who beautifully performed intricate routines. During the summer semester, Stage and Concert Bands performed. Concert Band is basically made up of members from Marching Band, while Stage Band members are chosen by audition. They perform at various schools in the community and compete in different festivals. In all, our music department is one of the finest in the city.

FLAG GIRLS
V. Fernandez, N. Bush, M. Schwartz, S. Lavin, M. Vad.

MARCHING BAND

CONCERT BAND

FIRST ROW: J. Wilkes, M. Jackson, K. Smith, G. Zive, L. Gibberman, M. Halloran, J. Simpson, J. Stein, M. Sperling, B. Unger, M. Bloesel, B. Mitchell, M. Durbin. SECOND ROW: S. Seeger, B. Soffran, K. Laumann, I. Basus, M. Denman, S. Muchnick, B. Sirelson, C. Levey, D. Heffernan, S. Dunaetz, R. Roman, L. Nottingham, C. Fontanella, M. Katchen, L. Ring, A. Hernandez, R. Merrell, M. Pacheco. THIRD ROW: M. Sanders, K. Dapron, S. Urquhart, J. Thomson, B. Babcock, J. Pomerantz, J. Dracup, J. Monaco, L. Hymas, B. Heath, E. Law, K. King, B. Boan, R. Leatherwood, B. Davidoff, S. Pomerantz, B. Hull, H. Stein, J. Harrah. FOURTH ROW: B. Sage, B. Lamb, P. Griffin, R. Henderson, R. Marks, R. Sandack, B. Strougo, N. Ross, A. Margolis.

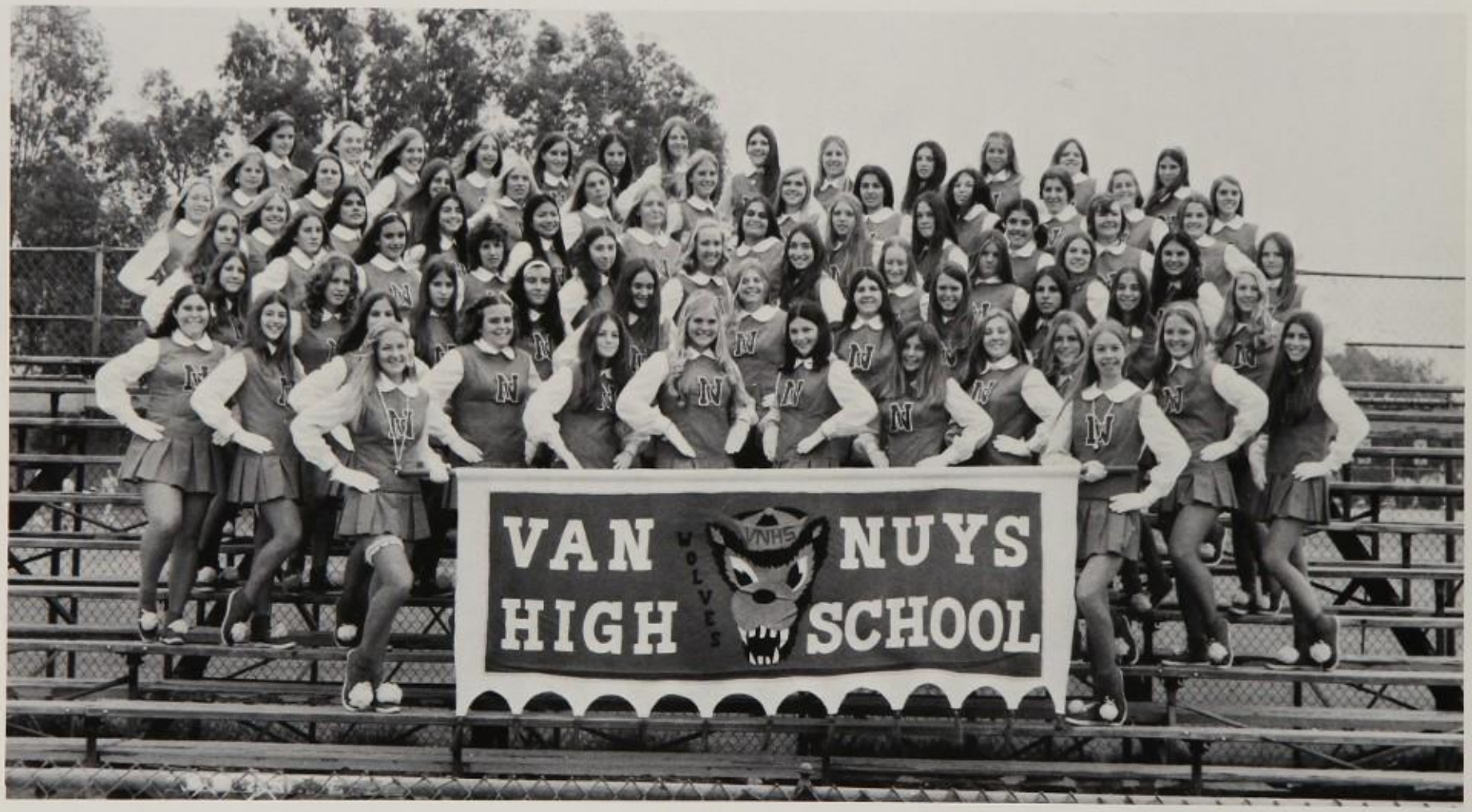
STAGE BAND

FIRST ROW: R. Sandak, M. Jackson, D. Heffernan, A. Cech, C. Levie, S. Dunaetz, M. Sperling. SECOND ROW: M. Sanders, P. Morin, R. Leatherwood, L. Goltz, K. DaPron, S. Pomerantz, D. Brown, H. Stein. THIRD ROW: B. Morris, S. Urquhart, B. Sage, B. Lamb, B. Babcock, J. Thomson, Mr. Sid Lasaine.

Drill Team Delights Spectators At Games

Under the leadership of Captains Sue See and Tracy Kidd, drill team provided half-time entertainment at football games. In addition, they sold suckers to students to raise money for themselves. The new sponsor was Mrs. Dorothy Brotman.

Drill team members entertain during a football half-time show.



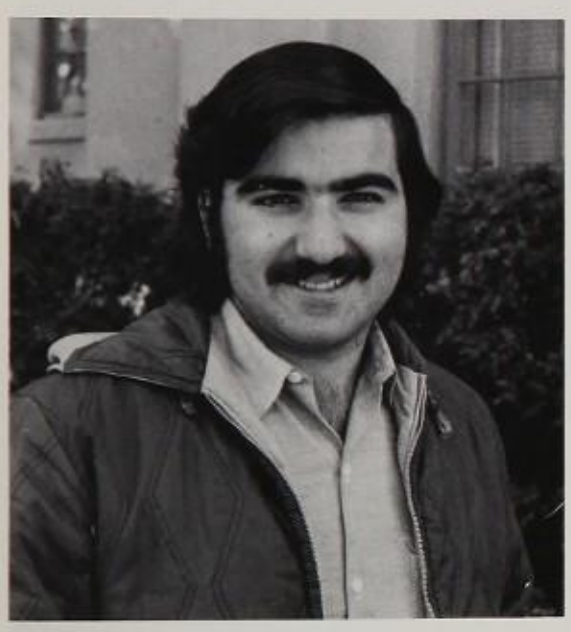
DRILL TEAM

FIRST ROW: T. Kidd, S. See. SECOND ROW: M. Sparr, S. Aguilar, D. Basch, C. Frumes, K. Gluck, L. Ferguson, C. Weinstein, J. Tuliano, I. Brotsis, R. Boone, I. Perry, A. Singer. THIRD ROW: J. Thorne, J. Brown, L. Sharpe, E. Habeeb, L. Greinetz, B. Friedman, C. Overstreet, P. Gould, G. Matassa, L. Shein, C. Rardin. FOURTH ROW: L. Downer, K. Subbotin, S. Huber, D. Tabaka, P. Hole, J. Rardin, V. Vidulich, L. Roberts, B. Woodward, N. Kerr, S. Woodward, L. Virgil, L. Scribner, G. Casas, C. Ayon, L. Kelly, D. Sabat, L. Pfening, T. Hook, N. Whipp, A. Simsarian, M. Kliefoth, S. Carlson. SIXTH ROW: C. Kohn, N. Jaffee, M. Engel, T. Burleson, S. Buskett, K. Kohn, A. Mork, L. Dolin, N. Warren, L. Gibberman, C. Grella, C. McCampbell. SEVENTH ROW: C. Hunter, L. Albrecht, D. Heminger, M. Heyman, M. Patton, M. Beitel, C. Stephens, D. Royal, S. Webber, L. Guttman, J. Filkoff, J. Gutt, N. Schramm.

CLUB PRESIDENTS' COUNCIL W '73
FIRST ROW: R. Fodrea, H. Gosch, P. Rosemark, J. Ferrer. SECOND ROW: P. Saden, D. Demaray, M. Durbin, K. Grant, C. Laurance, A. Spector. THIRD ROW: B. Elterman, P. Demetriou, T. Wahnsiedler, M. Paprian, D. Richman, L. Epstein, K. Cooley.

Presidents' Council Develops Interests

Club Presidents' council was devised to create a rapport between all of the club presidents in an effort to solve the many problems common to school clubs. The council also tries to promote school interest and participation in the clubs. It is also through this organization that club of the the month and club of the year are chosen.



MIKE PAPARIAN
Commissioner of Clubs

NAOMI WARREN
Commissioner of Clubs

CLUB PRESIDENTS' COUNCIL S '73
FIRST ROW: M. Paparian, D. Scribner, C. Rue, H. Herrnfeld, H. Gosch, S. Dubey, F. Head. SECOND ROW: P. Saden, D. Walit, A. Mork, L. Cohen, N. Warren, S. Lively, K. Brant, K. Curtis, A. Denny. THIRD ROW: C. Firestone, K. Greenstone, D. Crawford, K. Grant, B. Wolk, C. Kay, M. Long, L. Lusher, C. Vallely, G. Levy.

C.S.F. Promotes And Encourages Good Grades

The California Scholarship Federation is an honor organization consisting of those Van Nuys High students who receive a total of ten points on their report cards. If a student is in CSF for four semesters, then he or she is able to qualify as a Gold Seal Bearer. CSF president for the year was Douglas Weitzman.

CALIFORNIA SCHOLARSHIP FEDERATION W '73

FIRST ROW: J. Person, L. Robinson, C. Metcalf, P. Saden, B. Gepner, J. Shahan, W. Block, C. Robinson, N. Rabin, B. Green, L. Cohen, L. Block, C. Stenland, L. Lusher, D. Dickey, M. Zwass, C. Weinstein. SECOND ROW: J. Zwass, J. Whaley, F. Kurtzman, R. Merrell, M. Durbin, L. Stong, S. Rothfeld, C. Laurance, C. Dubey, V. Skryha, A. Spector, D. Tabaka, K. Subbotin, A. Mork, N. Warren, A. Minsk, P. Lin, S. Oei. THIRD ROW: M. Paparian, A. Ruben, P. Rosemark, A. Denny, V. Nicassio, G. Canchola, R. Reddford, G. Kurtzman, J. Stacey, D. Borok, S. Levy, L. Zicman, S. Ajamian, P. Palmer, J. Figatner, D. Brainin. FOURTH ROW: K. Buck, R. Rottapel, F. Gaudy, B. Buxbaum, H. Fink, D. Weitzman, J. Epstein, J. Peterson, S. Weisbard, N. Singer, T. Finnigan, T. Wahnsiedler, J. Seufert.

CALIFORNIA SCHOLARSHIP FEDERATION S '73

FIRST ROW: S. Tamura, J. Zwass, G. Bennett, S. Levy, M. Zwass, G. Kurtzman, I. Goodkin, D. Weitzman, C. Kay, W. Block, C. Weinstein, B. Green, L. Block, M. Cooper, A. Minsk. SECOND ROW: S. Lishan, M. Paparian, L. Zicman, P. Palmer, V. Skryha, A. Simsarian, J. Shahan, C. Solinen, H. Bennett, C. Metcalf, L. Lusher, T. Taft, N. Warren, C. Dubey, F. Kurtzman, B. Seagren, P. Saden, D. Muhlethaler. THIRD ROW: S. Oei, P. Rosemark, S. Handelman, C. Hunter, K. Greenstone, J. Dracup, M. Durbin, D. Dickey, K. Brant, S. See, S. Raphael, L. Epstein, S. Dubey, G. Canchola. FOURTH ROW: B. Sutton, R. Kravitz, D. Thorburn, E. Laurance, M. Pacheco, F. Gaudy, J. Epstein, A. Denny, A. Mork, T. Finnigan, J. Figatner, B. Windette, L. Beegun.

PHILOMATHEANS

FIRST ROW: E. Laurance, J. Dracup, M. Smith, R. Marelius, B. Sutton, S. Thompson, M. Pacheco. SECOND ROW: B. Mayeda, H. Bennett, H. Davis, C. Hunter, President, A. Simsarian, B. Rosemark, B. Mitchell, T. Keep. THIRD ROW: L. Sharpe, A. Baldwin, S. Thomas, R. Zide, S. Webber, V. Chang, B. Fabulich, B. Friedman, L. Levin. FOURTH ROW: D. Muhlethaler, N. Jaffee, G. Russell, K. Miller, O. Korin, C. McCampbell, A. Okuneff, J. Moston, M. Sparr.

Tenth Grade Scholars Join Philomatheans

The 10th grade scholarship society, Philomatheans, is for academic and service-minded sophomores. To be in the club they need a 3.5 grade point average from their ninth grade report cards. Thirty-eight students made up the group for this year. Under the supervision of the president, Arlene Simsarian, Philomatheans worked hard to promote spirit in achieving good grades. Organizing sponsors were Sue Weisbard and Janelle Person.

BIBLE DISCUSSION CLUB

FIRST ROW: J. Whaley, V. Nicassio, President K. Curtis, K. Mackley, K. Jones, B. Hayford, J. Nistico, D. Demaray. SECOND ROW: N. Hagopian, L. Odell, L. Alvidres, D. Tabaka, D. Gaudy, J. Kelly, A. Denny, J. Laird, T. Finnigan.

Marantha Considers Bible Truths

Maranatha, the Bible Discussion Club, was a new addition to the Van Nuys scene. In discussion, led by Kim Curtis, members considered the truths and teachings found in the Bible. Other activities included special speakers, films, out-of-school meetings, and group outings. The group, sponsored by Mr. Roy Jendresen, anticipated continued growth.

DISCUSSION GROUP

FIRST ROW: P. King, G. Hawbecker, Mr. Ralph Smith, D. Demaray, M. Durbin, J. Seufert. SECOND ROW: L. Kinzer, M. Laventman, C. Laurance, C. Allen, J. Kalbrunner, B. Hart, D. Enke, L. Moody, P. Lederich. THIRD ROW: G. Sather, D. Walker, A. Bauer, S. Burrus, L. Pfening, B. Silverman, R. Goodman, R. Friedman, J. Swirsky. FOURTH ROW: J. Villa, D. Mordle, E. Finch, B. Elterman, L. Cermak, J. Dillinger, E. Tripp, T. Dorsey, B. Kelley, M. Ryan, D. Kasper, D. Flaata.

VNHS Problems Concern Club Members

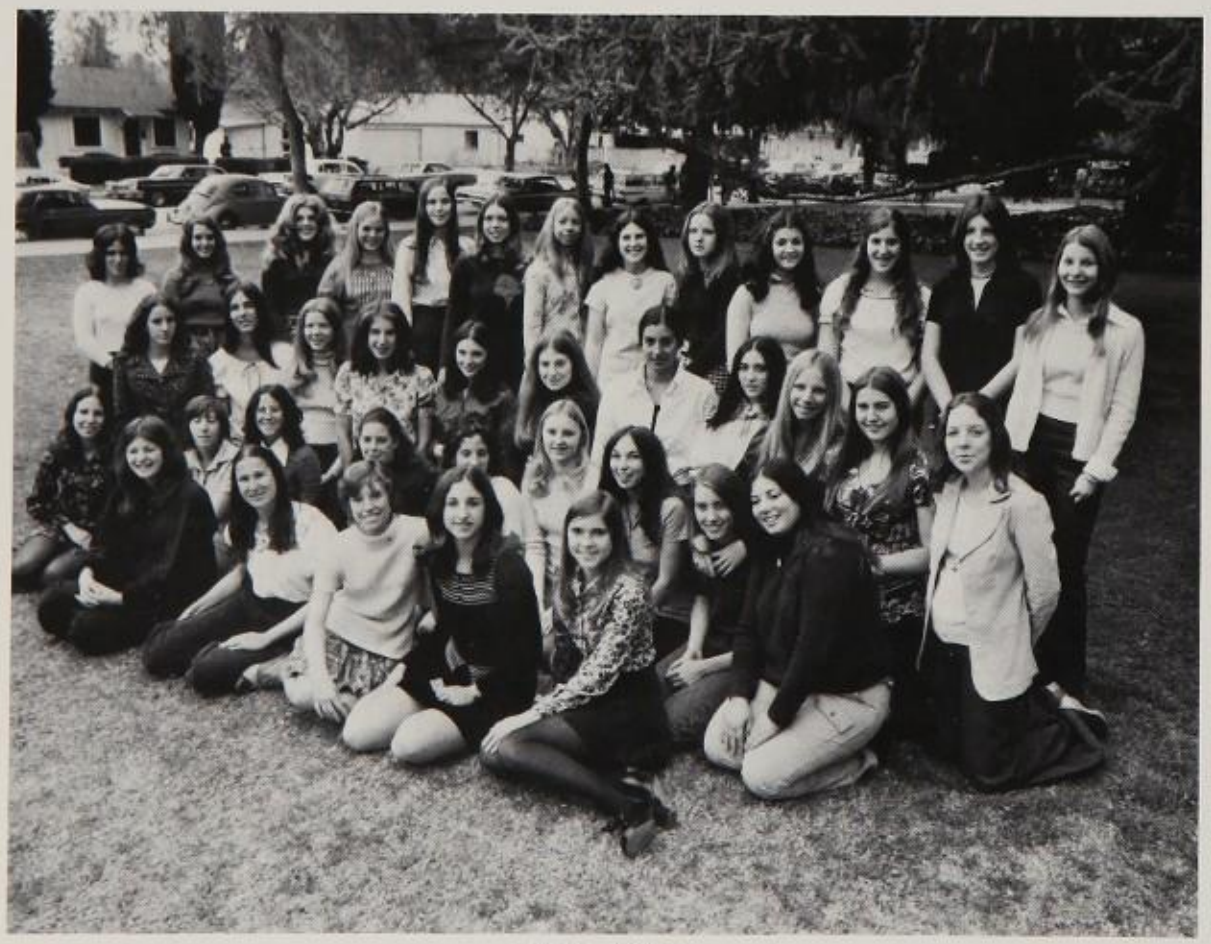
It is the goal of the Discussion Club to stimulate greater interest and involvement in the problems of Van Nuys High. There are no presidents in this club; all are equal members. They meet at school and private homes to discuss plans and problems as they arise, always with student welfare foremost in their minds.

Ladies Serve In The Community

Ladies is the highest honor and service organization for eleventh and twelfth grade girls in the school. They not only help in the school, but serve the community as well. In school they sell Hollygrams and Vanograms, and work on such projects as school beautification. In the community they help veterans, the aged, and children in need. The presidents were Kim Brant and Carol Vallely. They were sponsored by Mrs. Marjorie Marting.

LADIES W '73

FIRST ROW: N. Warren, D. Borok, L. Lusher, A. Mork. SECOND ROW: J. Shahan, P. Saden, C. Metcalf, F. Kurtzman, I. Goodkin, K. Brant, L. Ferguson, A. Bauer, C. Vallely, C. Dubey, M. Baum. THIRD ROW: L. Gibberman, D. Dickey, S. See, C. Sohnen, L. Cohen, D. Demaray, S. Berkowitz, B. Gould, B. Green, A. Denny, C. Kay, L. Block, S. Levy, C. Weinstein.



LADIES S '73

FIRST ROW: P. Saden, F. Kurtzman, C. Vallely, K. Brant, A. Mork. SECOND ROW: S. Berkowitz, S. Levy, L. Block, C. Kay, I. Goodkin, C. Metcalf, N. Warren, A. Bauer, C. Sohnen. THIRD ROW: K. Subbotin, S. Weisbard, J. Corbett, M. Durbin, C. Weinstein, S. Lavin, S. Frantz, L. Stong, C. Dubey, H. Ihsle, D. Dickey. FOURTH ROW: W. Block, L. Cohen, J. Shahan, L. Ferguson, A. Denny, D. Demaray, S. See, B. Green, H. Beckmann, L. Lusher, L. Gibberman, J. Seufert, P. Palmer.

KIM BRANT
President W '73

CAROL VALLELY
President S '73

KNIGHTS W '73
FIRST ROW: P. Lin, D. Laird, V. Nicassio. SECOND ROW: J. Figatner, B. Windette, P. Rosemark, B. Wolk, M. Zwass. THIRD ROW: M. Vilain, L. Schreiber, G. Kurtzman, N. Lancelot, S. Goodfellow, K. Arthur, P. Valiant, D. Weitzman.

Knights Earn Honor As "Club Of the Year"

Starting off as a much improved club was Knights. They are an honor service group made up of senior boys. They aided the school and community in various ways and their efforts earned them the honor of Club of the Year. Knights' many activities included a successful pickle sale, various activities with Ladies, button selling at Football games and volunteer work at the Foundation for the Junior Blind. Mr. Jasper Hood successfully sponsored the club.

KNIGHTS S '73
FIRST ROW: M. Paparian, P. Rosemark, B. Wolk, M. Zwass. SECOND ROW: A. Minsk, J. Zwass, G. Bennett, S. Goodman, B. Windette, J. Figatner, G. Kurtzman, T. Finnigan. THIRD ROW: S. Lisan, V. Nicassio, R. Merrell, J. Rayden, M. Katchen, T. Wahnsiedler, M. Vilain, E. Stoecker. FOURTH ROW: S. Handelman, S. Oei, H. Smith, F. Gaudy, R. Carlson, L. Schreiber, D. Weitzman, D. Laird.

PETER ROSEMARK and BENNETT WOLK
Knights Presidents

LARRY EPSTEIN and GREGG LEVY
Presidents

SQUIRES W '73
FIRST ROW: D. Walit, J. Zwass, R. Brown, G. Bennett, L. Epstein, A. Ruben, A. Minsk, B. Mitchell, P. Weiss. SECOND ROW: M. Fried, M. Delladio, S. Handleman, D. Silver, H. Bennett, T. Ayer, S. Davanzo, P. Trock, R. Fleischner, B. Elterman, M. Smith. THIRD ROW: C. Pode, B. Rosen, E. Laurance, H. Seligman, F. Gaudy, S. Seeger, G. Levy, R. Kern, D. Kling, R. Marelius.

Squires Had An Enjoyable Year

Squires is an honor and service organization for tenth and eleventh grade boys. This year they did much to serve our school with such activities as selling candy canes during the holiday season and selling programs at football games. They have also had such fun events as competitive sports with other clubs, and excursions to Lakers' games. For the boys at Van Nuys High, joining Squires is really a worthwhile experience.

SQUIRES S '73
L. Epstein, M. Pacheco, B. Elterman, G. Levy, R. Fleischner, H. Bennett.

Chatelaines Serve School

Chatelaines is a 10th and 11th grade girls' honor and service organization whose purpose is to assist both the community and school. Qualifications for entry into the club require specific grade requirement and service points obtained by volunteer school service, in both 9th grade and high school. Chatelaines stimulates interest and involvement of underclass girls in the school and community.

MEG DURBIN
President W '73

CHATELAINES W '73
FIRST ROW: D. Delaney, M. Long, L. Stong, C. Laurance, W. Block, D. Tabaka, S. Tamura, M. Vieira. SECOND ROW: L. Greinetz, J. Stacey, J. Fink, J. Brown, C. Arens, J. Thorne, M. Durbin, D. Basch, S. Frantz, K. Subbotin, S. Weisbard, J. Person, L. Ayo.

MELANIE LONG
President S '73

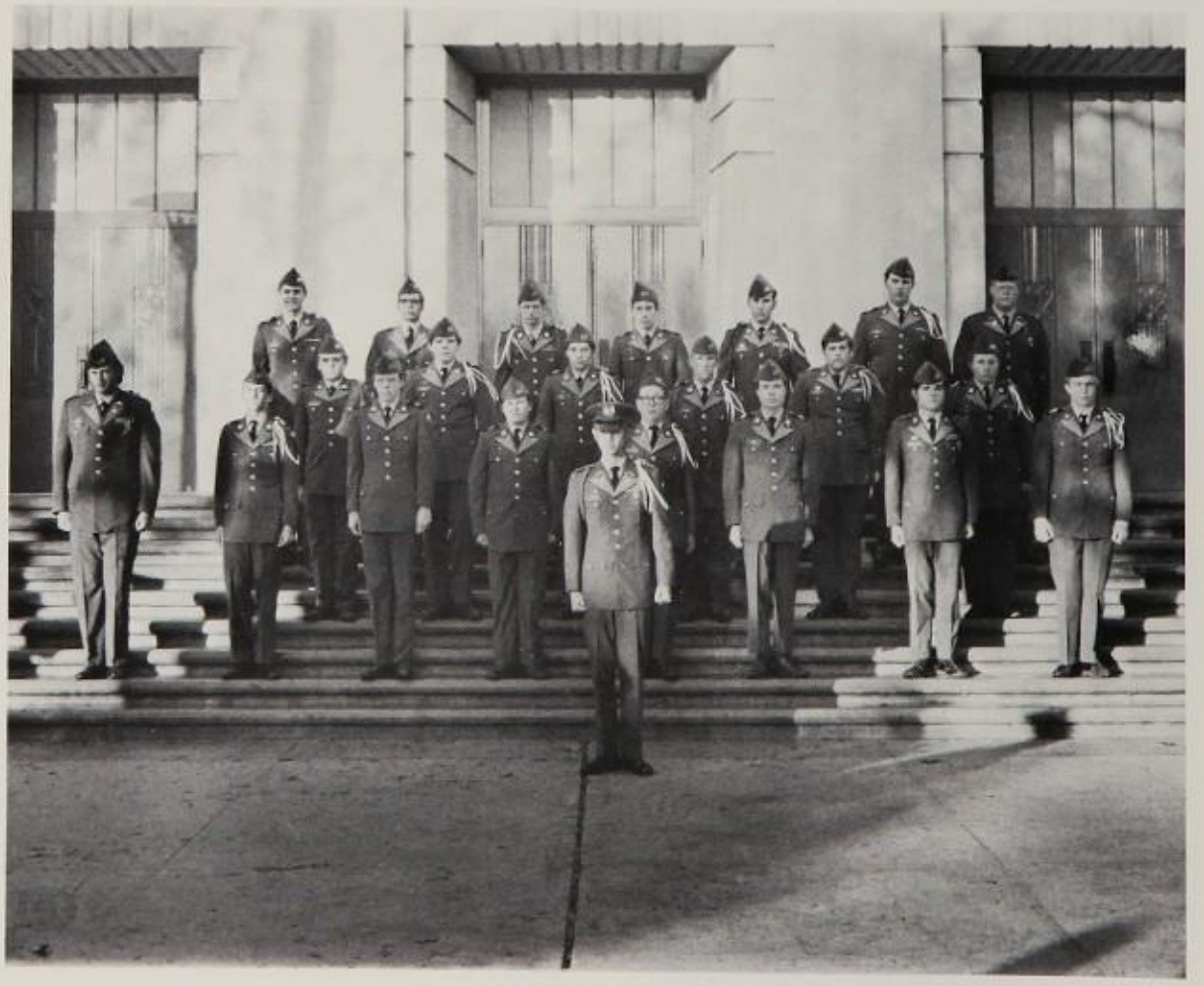
CHATELAINES S '73
FIRST ROW: L. Greinetz, L. Ayo, M. Long, S. Tamura, D. Tabaka, Mrs. Jean Rawson. SECOND ROW: G. Matassa, L. Coffey, E. Habeeb, A. Cramer, D. Delaney, A. Cramer, J. Brown, J. Person. THIRD ROW: K. Klugman, C. Shandler, A. Baldwin, R. Zide, A. Lee, T. Kidd, B. Rosemark, A. Simsarian, C. McCampbell, D. Muhlethaler. FOURTH ROW: L. Albrecht, S. Webber, N. Jaffee, C. Hunter, B. Friedman, L. Pfening, J. Thorne, H. Davis, V. Chang, O. Korin, E. Pressman, P. Schwartz.

Pride Marches On Through R.O.T.C.

The purpose of the Corps is to train students in military procedures to prepare them for service in the armed forces and to instill in its cadets a sense of responsibility and patriotism. Some of the many events in which the R.O.T.C. Corps participated were City Colonel and Staff Competition; the All-City Youth Rifle Match; Individual Squad Drill Competition; camping trips; a tour of the Edwards Air Force Base; the Sixth U.S. Army Rifle Match, in which they took fourth place; and the Voice of Democracy, in which they took third place. A major innovation was letting girls into the Corps. The girls took part mainly in the same events as the boys, but in a less strenuous manner.

RIFLE TEAM
Commander; N. Delaney. FIRST ROW: M. Flatta, R. Bonnell, S. Sayko, J. Blanchette. SECOND ROW: R. Silva, B. Roll, R. Zimmerman, J. Gardner. THIRD ROW: E. McRae, J. Ehrhart, A. Lareau.

MSG EUGENE McPHERSON and SFC JOHN TOWHILL



COMPANY A
Commander; P. Ortiz. FIRST ROW: E. McRai, R. Deobler, R. Albier, J. Wilson, J. Bartholomew, J. Stopp, J. Blanchette, D. Williamson. SECOND ROW: D. Bullard, J. Martin, B. Roll, M. Flatta, A. Lareau, J. Piper. THIRD ROW: K. Buck, C. Rose, C. Roth, M. Colker, J. Gardner, E. Estes, K. Weber.

STAFF

COMMANDER: F. Childress. FIRST ROW: A. Lareau, N. Dulaney, R. Bursky, E. Finch. SECOND ROW: G. Ortiz, E. Estes.

GIRLS

FIRST ROW: M. Crawford, A. Doherty. SECOND ROW: B. Hick
D. Moore, R. Gloudemans. THIRD ROW: W. Moore, S. Silva.

COMPANY B

COMMANDER: R. Silva. FIRST ROW: R. Reid, F. Montesdeoca, J. Ehrhart, G. Coronado, R. Zimmerman, B. Roll, D. Bullard, J. Martin. SECOND ROW: S. Sayko, R. Lumley, P. Kiesl, T. Dorr, J. Piper, A. Lareau. THIRD ROW: F. Catry, R. Bonnell, K. Roll, R. Hewes, R. Carter, R. Albier, E. Estes, M. Colker.

FFA Encourages Agricultural Careers

Future Farmers of America is a national organization offered at the Van Nuys High School farm. Students learn meaningful values of vocational agriculture, and leadership, cooperation, and citizenship. The officers are Melinda Graham, president; Rose Arpaia, vice-president; and sponsor, Mr. Grant Neilson.

Mr. Grant Neilson, Vice-President Rose Arpaia, and President Melinda Graham inspect pigs at farm.

FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA

FIRST ROW: B. Davis, R. Hall, R. Arpaia, M. Graham, L. Den Heyer, F. Catry, S. Budre, E. Finch. SECOND ROW: V. Castillo, R. Grenberg, L. English, J. Monaco, P. Griffin, J. Lewis, C. Crawley, D. Berke. THIRD ROW: D. Williamson, M. Flaata, D. Share, A. Garbell, C. Fiala, C. Jones, J. Payton, A. Herman, L. Robinson. FOURTH ROW: C. Coronado, T. Valencia, P. Kaplan, B. Cooper, L. Moyer, C. McLean, J. Grimm. FIFTH ROW: L. Smith, K. Barbour, C. Feinstein, J. Scinto, S. Vose, K. Hutson, R. Hull, C. Williams, R. Chirrick.

Steer is taken for walk by Pat Griffin, David Williamson, Carol Janssens, and Mike Herstik.

Jim Grimm shows Marla Garcia prize-winning rooster.

Mike Herstik returns pony to his stall.

Key Club Aids School And Community

Throughout their existence, Key Club has served the school and community with their services in various activities. They are sponsored by Kiwanis International. This year, for the first time, they have allowed girls to join the organization. The club is under the supervision of Mr. Len Orteg.

KEY CLUB
FIRST ROW: J. Zwass, P. Demetriou, A. Weissman. SECOND ROW: D. Crawford, D. Silver, B. Winnick, R. Albano, T. Ayer, K. Smith. THIRD ROW: D. Weber, S. Handelman.

Council Closes Gap Between Generations

At the beginning of the year, student representatives were elected to serve on the School-Community Advisory Council. Along with faculty members, parents, and members of the community, they discuss major problems of the school and the neighboring community.

SCHOOL-COMMUNITY ADVISORY COUNCIL
W. Block, D. Dickey, D. Demaray, L. Stong.

Dance Committee Plans Extra Excitement For Students

Starting off a busy year was the re-organized dance and decorations committee. They were actively involved in the coordinating of the many fine dances throughout the year. Students listened with enjoyment to the music of many bands after school and after football games.

DANCE COMMITTEE
FIRST ROW: S. Weisbard, L. Block, L. Roberts, J. Person. SECOND ROW: S. Burrus, B. Silverman, D. Demaray, B. Stratton, S. Elkan, L. Gibberman, C. Kay, N. Warren. THIRD ROW: D. Tabaka, P. Gustavson, K. Subbotin, L. Maxwell, S. See, M. Long, A. Phillips, J. Seufert.

SNOW SKI

FIRST ROW: S. Ajamian, D. Delaney, A. Cramer, S. Coughran, S. Rothfeld, President C. Laurance, J. Ficks, C. Dubey, A. Cramer, L. Coffey, K. Parris. SECOND ROW: A. Lee, O. Korin, B. Rosemark, J. Caiozzo, K. Greenstone, M. Fisher, R. Brown, K. Sheets, S. Manly, D. Hickey. THIRD ROW: R. Luna, C. Tucker, L. Carnan, N. Singer, L. Zicman, S. Goodman, R. Sherman, M. Ochoa, S. Brown, D. Johnson, B. Sweet, C. McCampbell, L. Ring.

Big Group Turns Out For Snow Ski

One of the newer clubs formed at Van Nuys this year is the Snow Ski Club. With a new membership of sixty students, both experienced and inexperienced skiers, the club actively participated in numerous trips to such places as Squaw Valley and Mammoth, and also took part in showing ski films, and in certain fund-raising activities. The friendly atmosphere among the members of the club created enthusiasm which helped keep the club alive. Sponsor of the group was Mr. Morton Fletcher.

WATER SKI

FIRST ROW: G. Dowell, B. Inglis. SECOND ROW: A. Cramer, D. Delaney, D. Johnson, President B. Sweet, L. Coffey, A. Cramer. THIRD ROW: M. Muchnick, N. Kennedy, G. Mitchell, J. Shaffer, D. Demaray, L. Grubbs, D. Taylor.

Water Ski Starts Off With A Splash

Water Ski Club was formed this year in an effort to make an unusual and exciting sport available to the student body. However, the sport itself may be only one of the attractions. Trips to lake areas provide beautiful scenery, clean air, and a chance to meet really nice people.

MRS. BARBARA YANUCK
Sponsor

Speech Club Successful Again

The Van Nuys branch of the National Forensics League had another year of great success, capturing multitudes of awards, including fifty-three trophies and forty-seven gold medals. Through the dynamic efforts of Mrs. Barbara Yanuck, the Speech Club was brought to the peak of performances in individual events and debates. Continuing this tradition of great achievement will surely be a simple matter for this victorious team.

Debate team members look on as Mrs. Yanuck reviews assignments for the upcoming tournament.

DEBATING TEAM
FIRST ROW: K. Karbo, L. Lusher, K. Brant, T. Wahnsiedler, T. Yanuck, C. Robinson, Mrs. Barbara Yanuck. SECOND ROW: M. Lancet, P. Demetriou, A. Fedor, D. Dickey, M. Lottman, S. Rothfeld, J. Barbour.

SPEECH CLUB
FIRST ROW: M. Lottman, J. Dryer, M. Cooper, C. Metcalf, S. Rothfeld, K. Karbo, C. Robinson, T. Wahnseidler, L. Lusher, D. Dickey, Mrs. Barbara Yanuck, D. Borok, J. Barbour, S. Crough, K. Brant, A. Fedor. SECOND ROW: V. Shrout, P. Lederich, G. Zive, K. Grant, A. Okuneff, K. Klugman, A. Cramer, D. Delany, A. Cramer, W. Block, C. Weinstien, B. Green, H. Ihsle, S. Ajamian, S. Berkowitz, P. Biegel, S. Cron, S. Stokey. THIRD ROW: H. Herrnfeld, G. Bennett, M. Paparian, L. Coffey, M. Muchnick, S. Handelman, D. Dickey, H. Bennett, L. Shein, L. Stong, M. Durbin, C. Laurance, K. Sheets, L. Horwitz, C. Taylor, R. Ledbetter, S. Davanzo, G. Green, C. Defrain.

TABLE TENNIS
FIRST ROW: D. Walit, J. Zwass, T. Ayer, B. Cohen, A. Weissman. SECOND ROW: D. Kling, B. Winnick, C. Weinstein, M. Sullivan, D. Scott, G. Zive, F. Lam, Mr. Merle Nelson.

Table Tennis Promotes Interest In Game

Van Nuys High's Table Tennis Team was in competition with other schools in the San Fernando Valley area. Members participated in lunch-time games to promote interest in the sport. The group was under the leadership of Dan Scott and David Walit, presidents, with adviser Mr. Merle Nelson.

CHESS CLUB
FIRST ROW: A. Cramer, Mr. James Dunlap, C. LaRue, R. Fodrea, B. Card, A. Cramer. SECOND ROW: L. Coffey, R. Fineberg, D. Walit, M. Perlis, B. Jackson, D. Ferdman. THIRD ROW: D. Bowie, S. Oei, R. Winston, D. Weber, M. Pacheco. FOURTH ROW: P. Lin, F. Giardina, D. Laird, J. Figatner, M. Paparian.

Chess Group Places Sixth In Southland

This year's membership in Chess Club tripled that of last year. Van Nuys High sent representatives to three tournaments in the past scholastic year. In one of these the Van Nuys High Team placed sixth among other Southern California High Schools. Chess Club also serves as a source of promotion for the game itself.

DEMOCRATIC CLUB
FIRST ROW: J. Morrison, F. Blum, R. Lampert, W. Hubbard, D. Passaro. SECOND ROW: D. Silver, M. Wilhoit, H. Gosch, J. Anker, C. Mahler, D. Weber. THIRD ROW: P. Lederich, D. Boole, P. Weiss, A. Stanten, T. Ayer, B. Elterman, B. Norton.

New Club Stimulates Involvement

A new club which met for the first time this year is the Democratic Club. Their purpose is to get the students more involved in politics. During the year they were actively involved in the national election campaign and began their program for the mayoral race to come. It is through organizations such as this that students become aware of the world and that student involvement in society is encouraged.

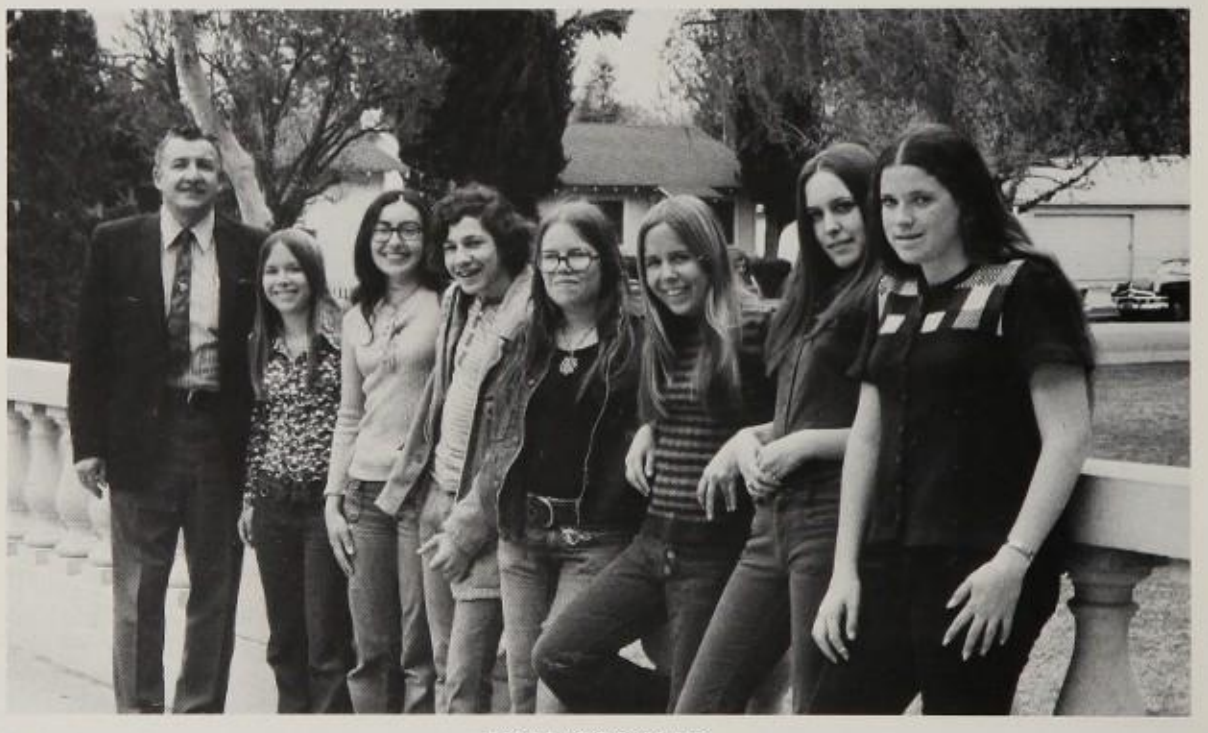
Intercultural Relationships Strengthened

International Club is for students interested in intercultural relationships between American Students and visiting students from foreign countries. The club sponsor is Mr. James Wilkinson. The club's purpose is the promotion of international good will through a program of social and cultural activities.

INTERNATIONAL CLUB
FIRST ROW: O. Tugend, D. Whitmore, T. Vieira, H. Beckmann, G. Vieira, H. Herrnfeld, B. Fabulich, P. Jacovelli, J. Barrera, E. Alagozyan, Mr. James Wilkinson. SECOND ROW: J. Hribar, J. Jimenez, J. Estrada, C. Cooper, V. Chang, J. Rivera, L. Canete, M. Muniz, R. Nuniz, E. Gonzalez, A. Biederman, J. Hernandez. THIRD ROW: D. Santoro, D. Bernardes, T. Kibritjian, A. Steinberg, S. Bernstein, J. Brennan, H. Chambers, M. Maffeis, S. Lauharatanahirun, T. Yasuda, S. Ahn, R. Marelius, J. Garcia.

Billiards Club Hits The "8" Ball

Billiards club was formed by the interest of students of this art. Some members are experienced billiard players, while others are fascinated with the prospect of learning to play. The club met once a week and played in a tournament at the end of the year. Mr. James Rukes sucessfully aided the students in the group.



BILLIARDS CLUB
Mr. James Rukes, A. Cramer, L. Neville, D. Levine, E. Roberts, A. Cramer, M. Muchnick, L. Coffey.

Amateur Radio Club Makes Good Connections

Amateur Radio club gives instruction in morse code and radio theory for those students who are interested in obtaining an amateur license. Their activities included trips to commercial radio stations. Mr. Maurice Kopp was the sponsor of the club.

AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
FIRST ROW: R. Morton, C. Stroebel. SECOND ROW: E. Finch, D. Mitchell, B. Hewes.

CAMPING CLUB
FIRST ROW: A. Cramer, D. Demaray, M. Muchnick. SECOND ROW: A. Cramer, L. Ring, President A. Spector, S. Rothfeld, C. Laurance, S. Frantz, L. Coffey.

Camping Club Enjoys Beauty Of Nature

Camping Club sponsors Mr. James Dunlap and Mr. Robert Coutts led many camping and backpacking trips to the Anza-Borrego Desert State Park and local mountains. Members developed survival skills, social relationships and an awareness of camping opportunities with the assistance of Andrea Spector, club president.

SCIENCE-ECOLOGY
FIRST ROW: President R. Russell. SECOND ROW: P. Lederich, C. Kay. THIRD ROW: M. Paparian, V. Nicassio, B. Stratton, J. Shahan.

Science-Ecology Club Helps Protect Environment

To promote the cause of ecology in the school and community is the purpose of the Science-Ecology club. Led by Rogi Russell, club president, and Mr. Fred Arnesen, sponsor, the members have learned many ideas to help our environment.

Mecha Gets Involved

Mecha plays a very important role in Van Nuys High, its purpose being to help Mexican-American students become aware of the opportunities available to them in the community and at school. Their main stress is on the importance of education, which they discuss during their weekly meetings. Among the activities of Mecha are conducting their meetings in Spanish for the benefit of the Spanish speaking ESL students, taking field trips to Valley Junior College to observe their Mecha meetings and to become acquainted with the college, and also holding dances to raise funds. Their president was Jose Ferrer.

Charlie Garcia and Gary Tabarez anticipate Cinco de Mayo festivities.

MECHA

FIRST ROW: N. Robles, P. Chavez, G. Jelloian, C. Perez, A. Perez, C. Gallegos, G. Trippiedi, R. Robles, J. Grijalva, V. Castillo. SECOND ROW: T. Cabrera, G. Casas, M. Fierro, D. Rivero, N. Castro, G. Canchola, R. Cabrera, E. Castro. THIRD ROW: G. Leal, J. Chavez, R. Tabarez, A. Acosta, J. Ferrer, A. Castro, J. Gutierrez, M. Martinez, J. Campos.

PRESS

FIRST ROW: K. Gluck, D. Basch, C. Garnhardt, D. Crawford, K. Subbotin. SECOND ROW: L. Dolin, C. Frumes, L. Zicman, D. Borok, K. Grant, L. Alvidres, K. Smith. THIRD ROW: Mr. Lee Graves, P. Palmer, J. Figatner, L. Savate, D. Demaray, L. Schreiber, K. Cooley, S. Handelman.

Journalists Form New Club

Press club started the year off with Jack Smith, Los Angeles Times Columnist, coming to speak. The Press Club was created for students in and out of journalism classes who are interested in the field of journalism.

ART

FIRST ROW: J. Greenwood, J. Braunstein, J. Moston, L. Neville, L. Cohen, Mrs. Jean Henning. SECOND ROW: K. Fischer, M. Brink, L. Morren, L. Gibbs, L. Alvidres, D. Tabaka.

Art Club Draws Up A Fantastic Year

Stimulating the interest of art and developing an appreciation of art is the purpose of the Art Club. The Club participates in art activities which serve the school and community. Carol Vallely served as president for the winter semester.

STAMP

FIRST ROW: S. Lubell, D. Richman, J. Snodgrass, R. Gibson. SECOND ROW: B. Elterman, C. Buhlman, R. Dunfield, A. Lareau.

Stamp Club Licks Its Way To Success

Van Nuys' Stamp Club is designed to help all members enjoy philately to a greater extent. The purpose of the new stamp club is to further their knowledge. An exhibition was planned, and awards were given to the best exhibitors. Many of the sessions were for the membership to trade, buy or sell their stamps.

Mirror Keeps Student Body Well-Informed

The *Mirror*, a four-six page bi-weekly paper, gives outstanding coverage of events to the student body and faculty of Van Nuys High. The advisor, Mr. Lee Graves, was aided by the graphic arts classes, which print the paper.

Mirror Staff members Gary Budish, Marla Baum, Kim Brant finish edition of the *Mirror*.

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Annual Staff Records Events Of Busy Year

This year's *Crimson and Gray* staff worked diligently to meet yearbook deadlines. The group also sought to make the annual better than before by increasing the size and adding other features to make the book more interesting. Among the new ideas were a promotional presentation of slides for the seniors and more coverage of events that concerned the student body. The staff was again under the advisorship of Mr. George Bayha, who helped to make the yearbook complete.

Senior section members Debbie Searle, Joyce Peterson, and Sue Weisbard celebrate after meeting their deadline.

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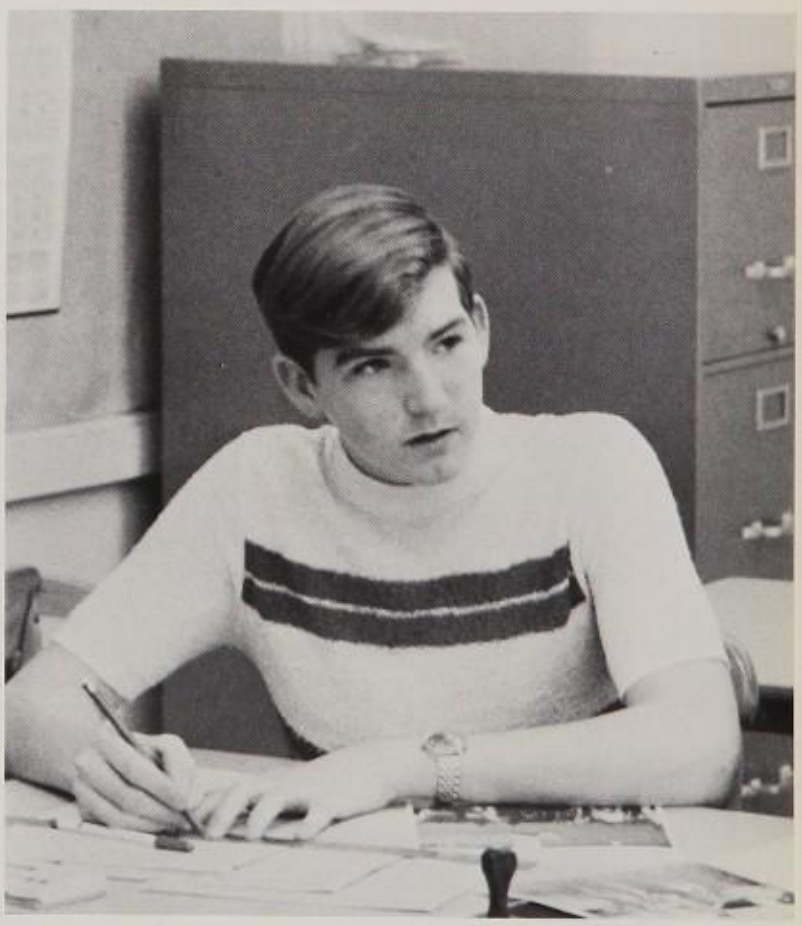

Ralph Lloyd pauses briefly while adding the final touches to the sports section.

Queen JoAnne Alter

Thank Heavens For Little Girls

As in the past, this spring the girls at Van Nuys High celebrated May Day. The Senior applicants first submitted an entry, and in early March the girls were selected and announced at a Senior Class meeting.

The stage setting and ushers' costumes carried out the theme "Thank Heavens for Little Girls." A dance and a luncheon were held in honor of the Queen and her court.

Girls' League President, Leslie Cohen, served as Honor Princess. Joyce Shahan acted as chairman of the assembly, while Annette Phillips planned the luncheon.

Leslie Cohen
Honor Princess

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Ann Loukas

Naomi Warren

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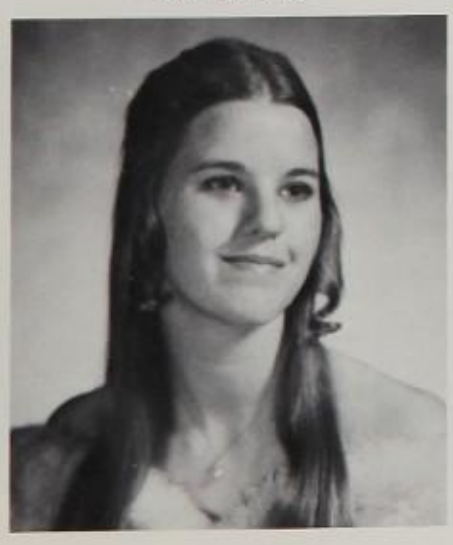

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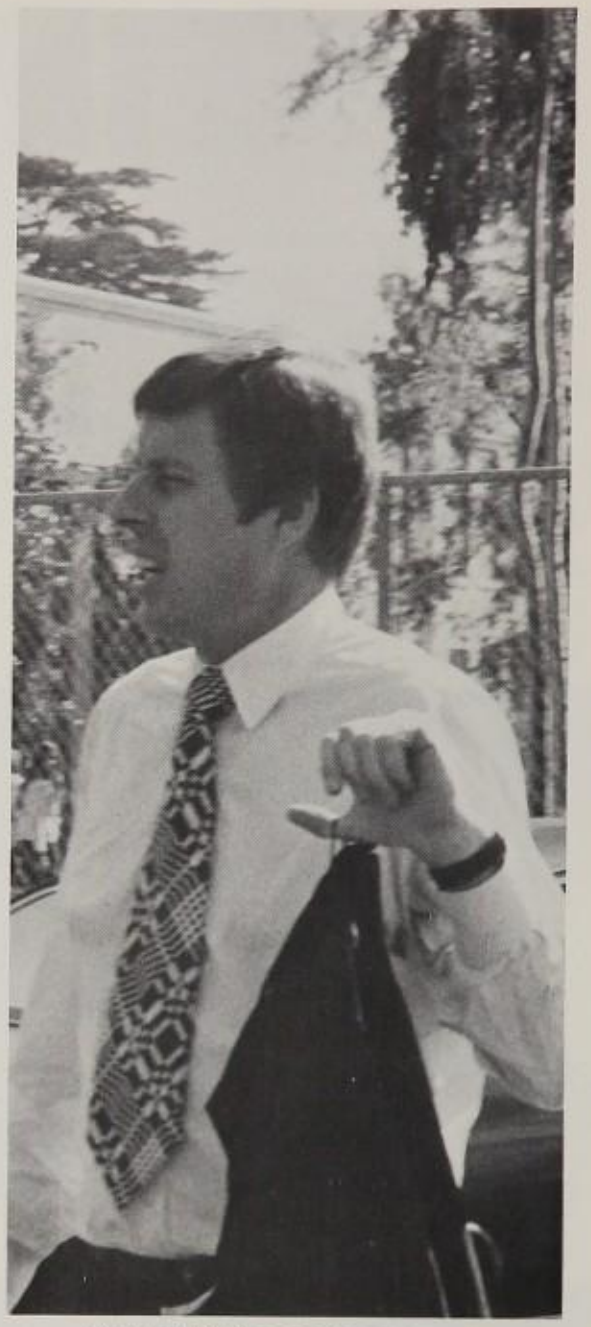
Politicos Create Stir

This year Van Nuys High was privileged to have a remarkable number of political assemblies at which candidates and representatives from both the Democratic and Republican Parties were present. These politicians gave us their time and effort to really involve high school students in the workings of politics and to impress upon us the importance of voting. The assemblies were extremely successful in that student conduct was good, and the political guests were informative and well-received

CONGRESSMAN JAMES CORMAN AND CANDIDATES ED BURKE AND PAT GALLAGHER



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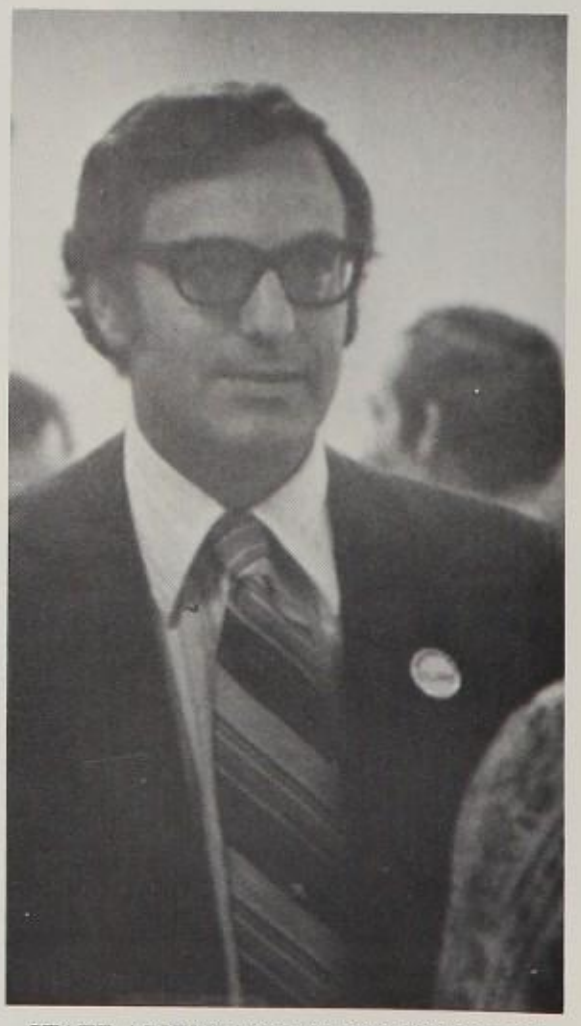

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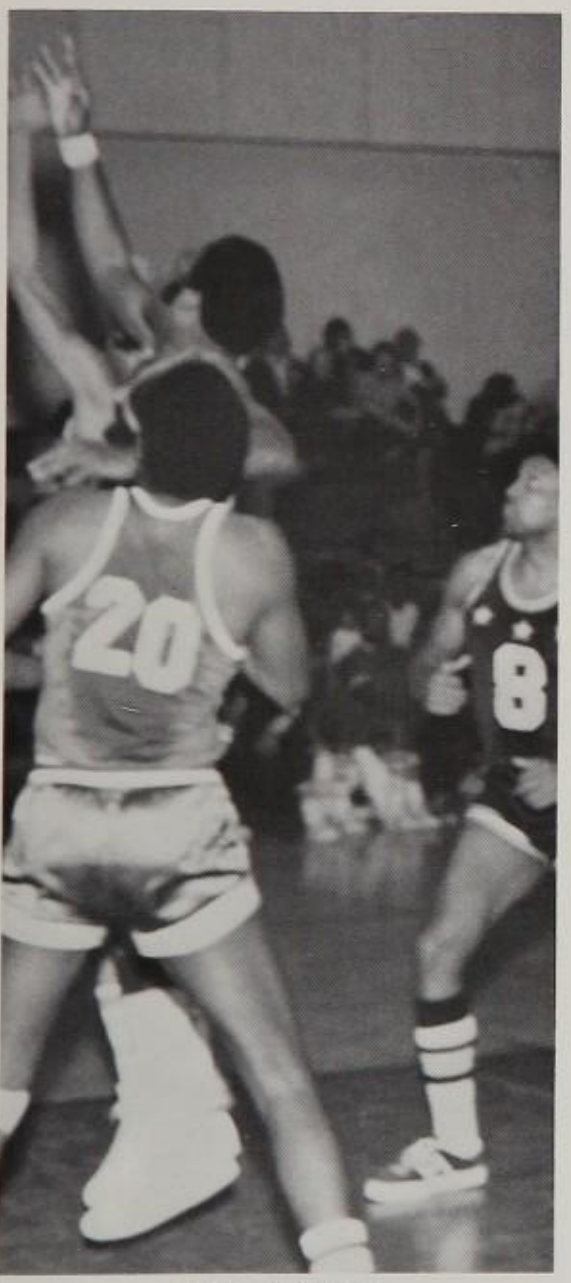


ELGIN BAYLOR

MRS. JEAN GRECO, Nurse

Performers, Nurse Arrive

Aside from the many notable political figures who have been our guests at Van Nuys High, there have also been a large number of interesting events involving other celebrities and new-comers. At the P.T.S.A. Farrell's Ice Cream Sundae Drive, Meredith Macrea made an appearance and greeted students; later in the semester Jess Marlow from KNBC News came to speak on freedom of the press. A new nurse arrived to cure our illnesses. To top off the semester, our Celebrity Basketball game, with Elgin Baylor, was a smashing success.

VANNAIRES AND THEIR TROPHY

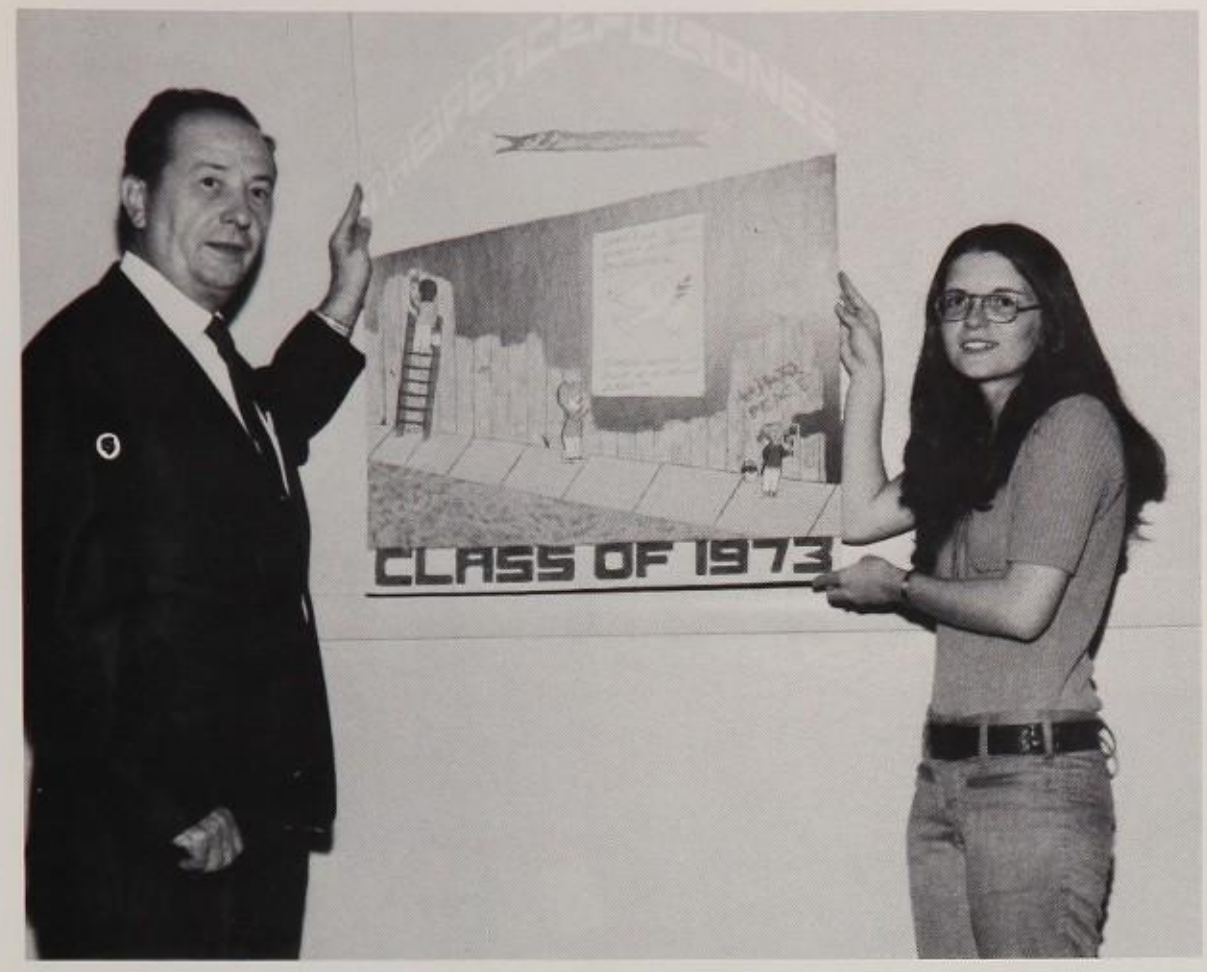
MR. JOHN WHELAN

Summer Semester Brings Continued Parade Of Events

Van Nuys High's most prestigious choral group, the Vannaires, proved their singing ability by winning a first place trophy at the Pop Choral Festival, which took place in Saugus on February 10. Arriving early in the summer semester was Mr. John Whelan, who assumed the responsibilities of the school financial manager. A successful candy drive, held February 22 to March 6, made a significant contribution to the Student Body funds. Three teachers, Mrs. Ruth Townsend, Mr. Oral Kernodle, and Mr. Barry Lamare returned to Van Nuys High after enjoying sabbatical leaves from their teaching professions.

Mike Paparian and ROTC members unload candy.

MR. ORAL KERNODLE and MRS. RUTH TOWNSEND



JoAnne Bishop and Mr. Joe Pavliga display her winning poster.

Girls paint trash cans during Girls' Week.

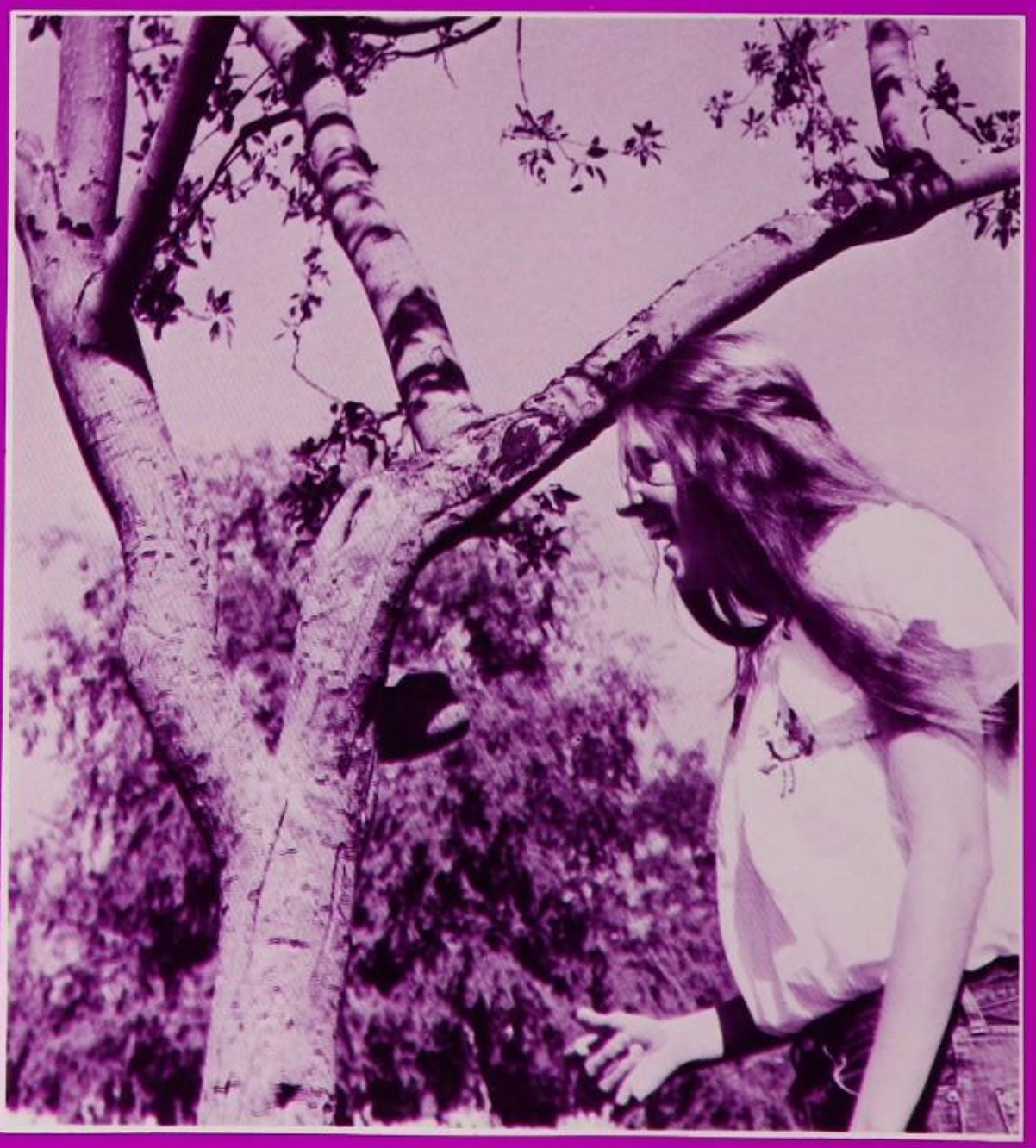
Students develop their creativity by molding clay into sculptures.

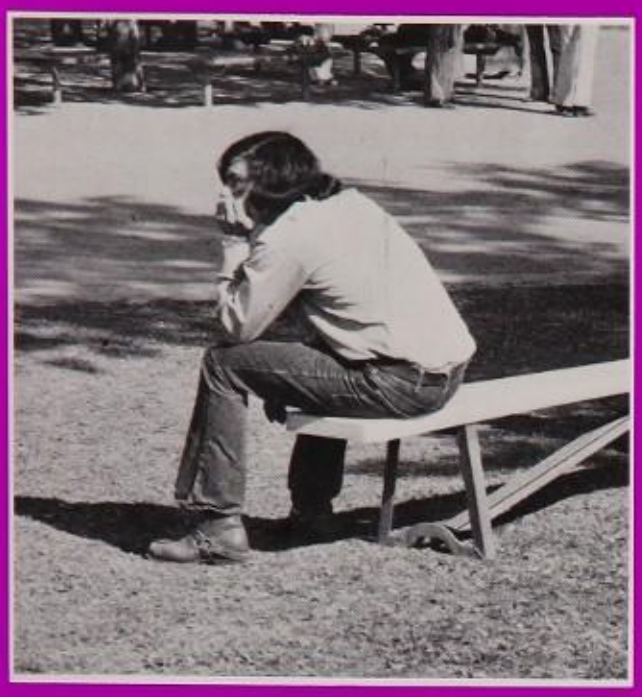
Creative Ability Demonstrated By Students

An addition to Van Nuys High School's art curriculum was the ceramics class. Students worked assiduously to prepare for the Topanga Plaza Art Exhibit. As a part of Girls' Week, Girl's League sponsored a fashion show in which participants made and modeled their own creations. Another activity of Girls' Week was a trash can painting contest which was won by Sandy Lavin, who used the schools colors, and Pam Saden, who chose senior class colors. The senior class sponsored a poster contest which was won by JoAnne Bishop.

Laurie Pfening and Carol Weinstein model twin outfits at the fashion show, which culminated Girls' Week.

Full of enthusiasm for their years ahead, the underclassmen are the foundation of high school life. They are an inspiration for future greatness, and an assurance that our institution will continue on in its best tradition.





Underclassmen

Junior Class Enjoys Semester

The Junior Class Officers, filled with class spirit and enthusiasm, planned a number of activities for the summer semester. A combined Junior and Senior Class roller skating night was planned for the first part of the semester. Also, in accordance with their class symbol, the officers planned a Keystone Cop film festival, which was to include many old but good films starring such famous personalities as the Marx Brothers and Betty Boop.

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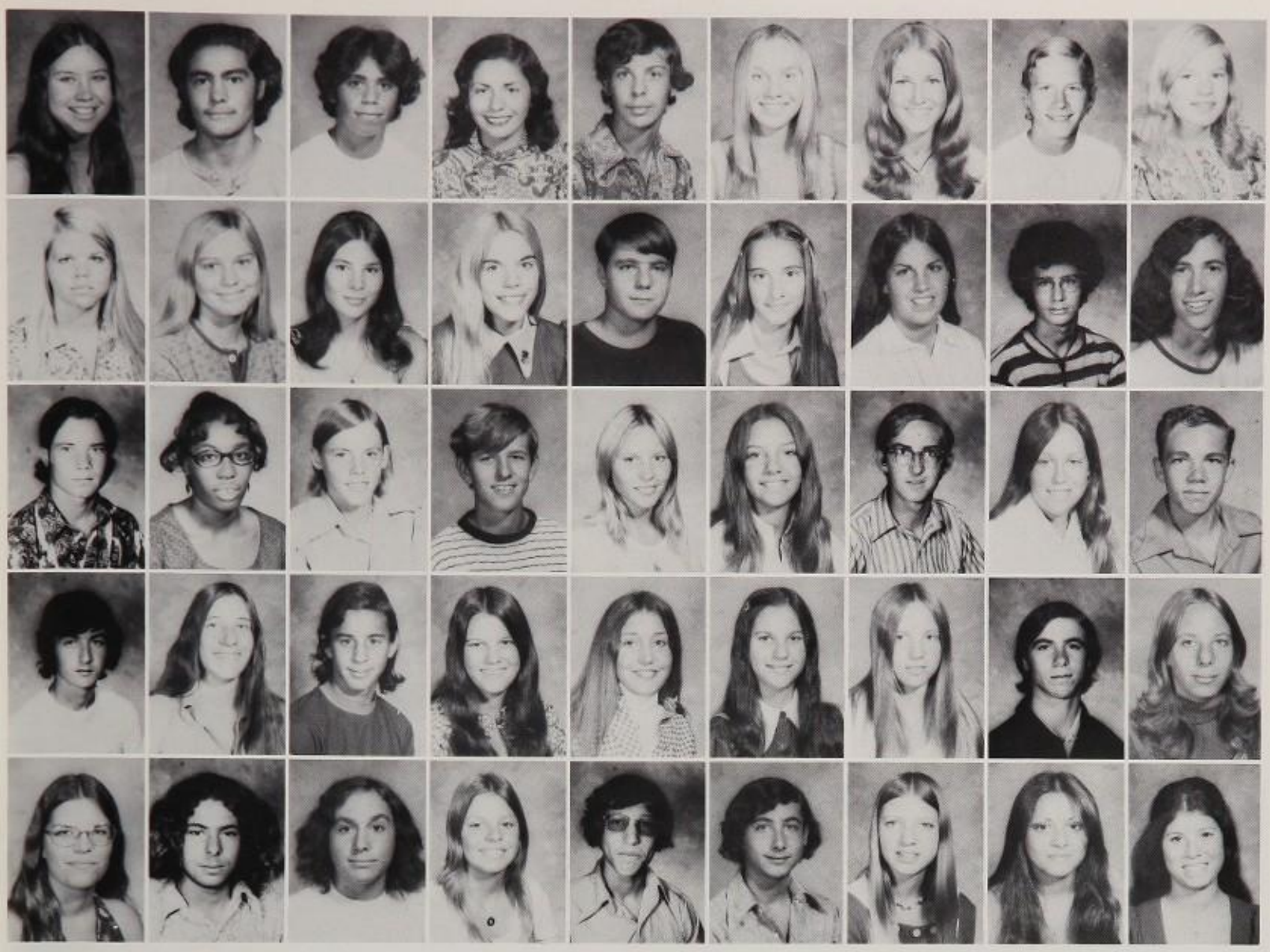

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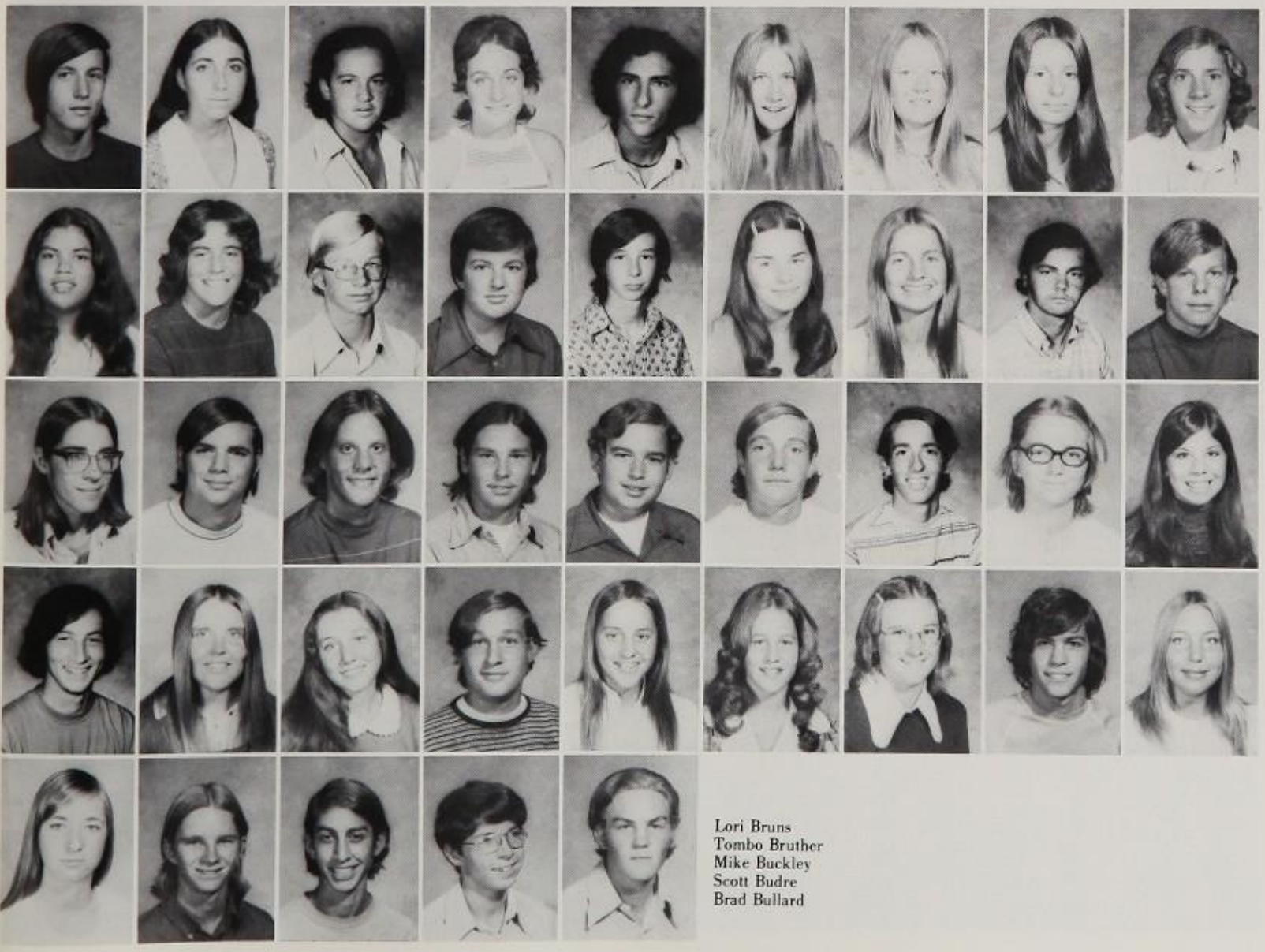

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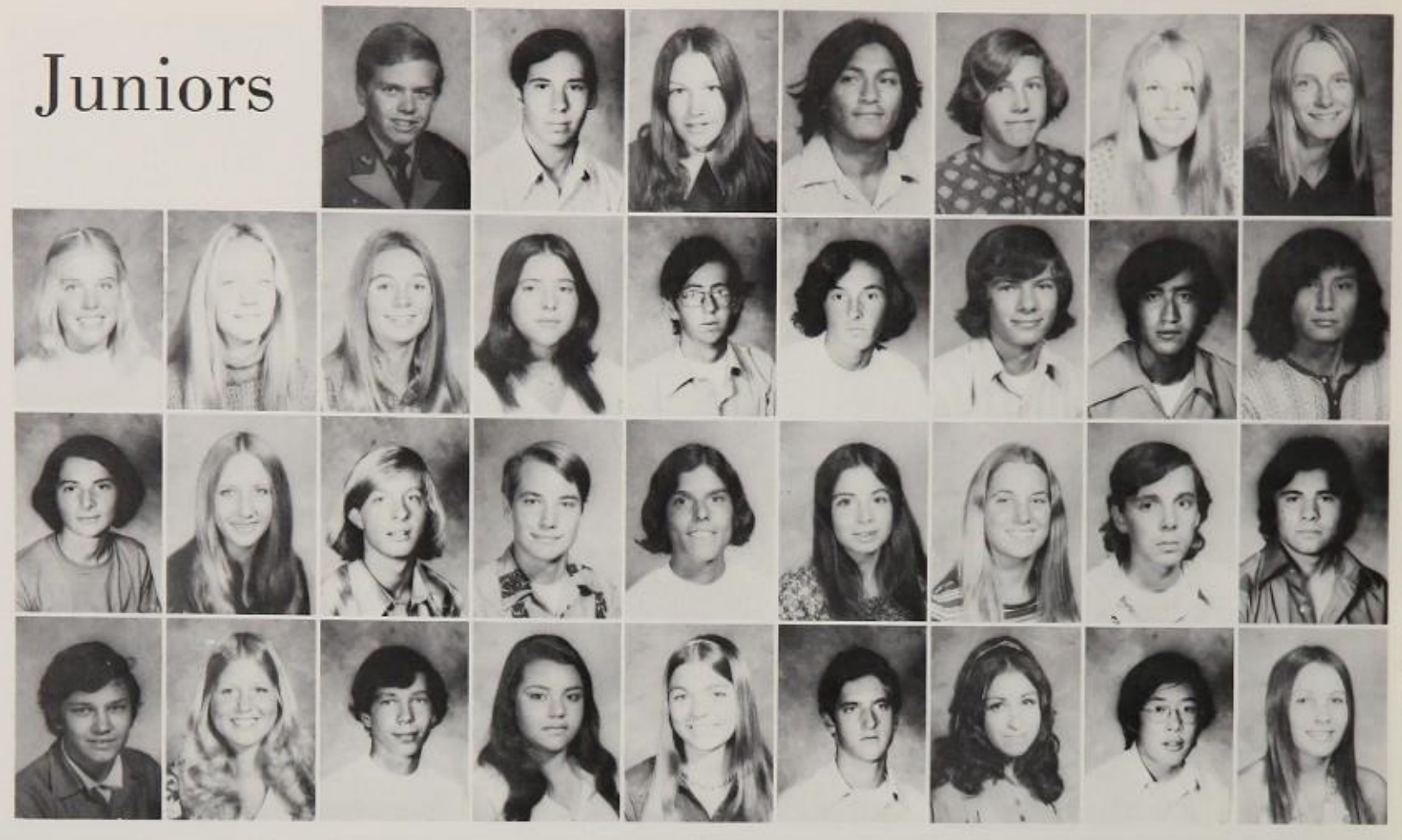

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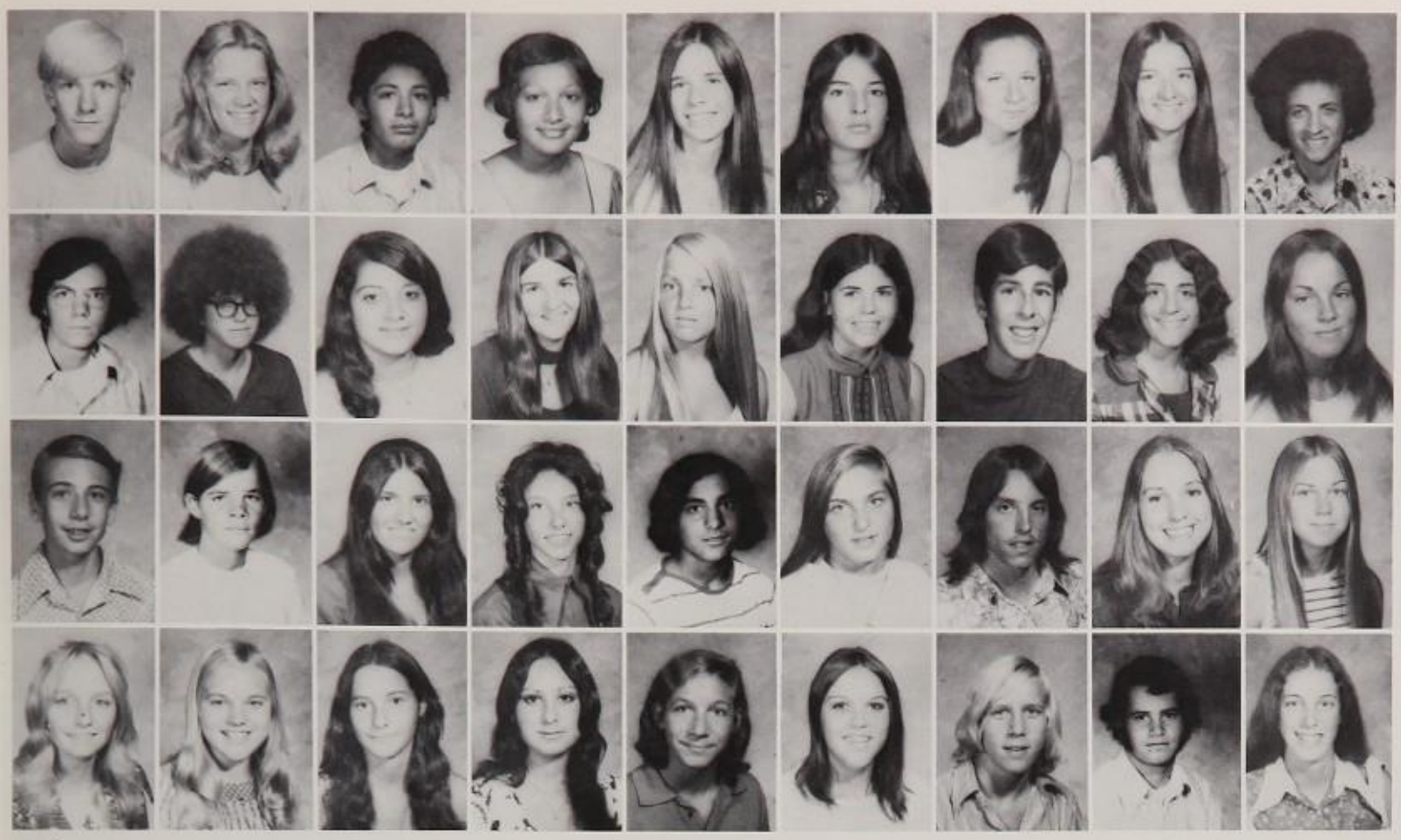

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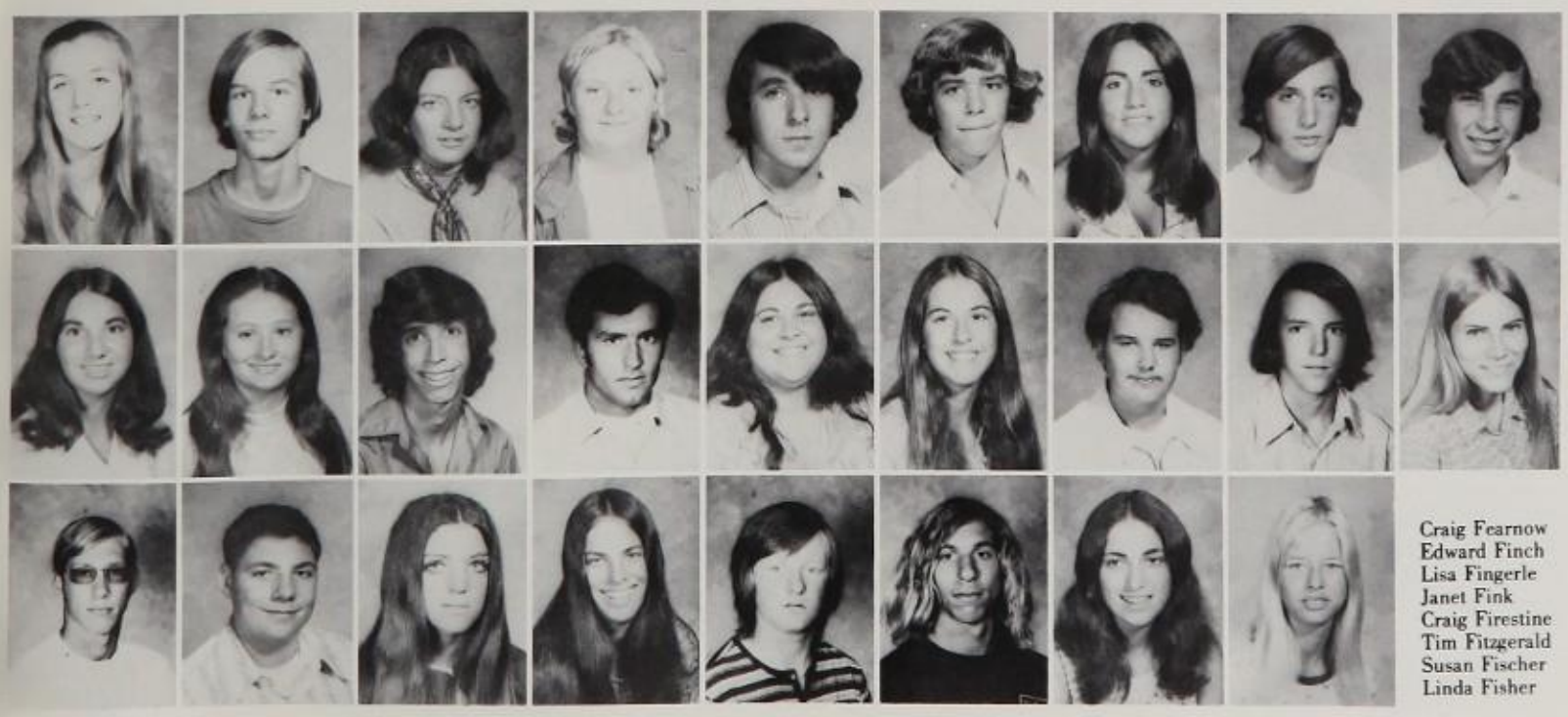

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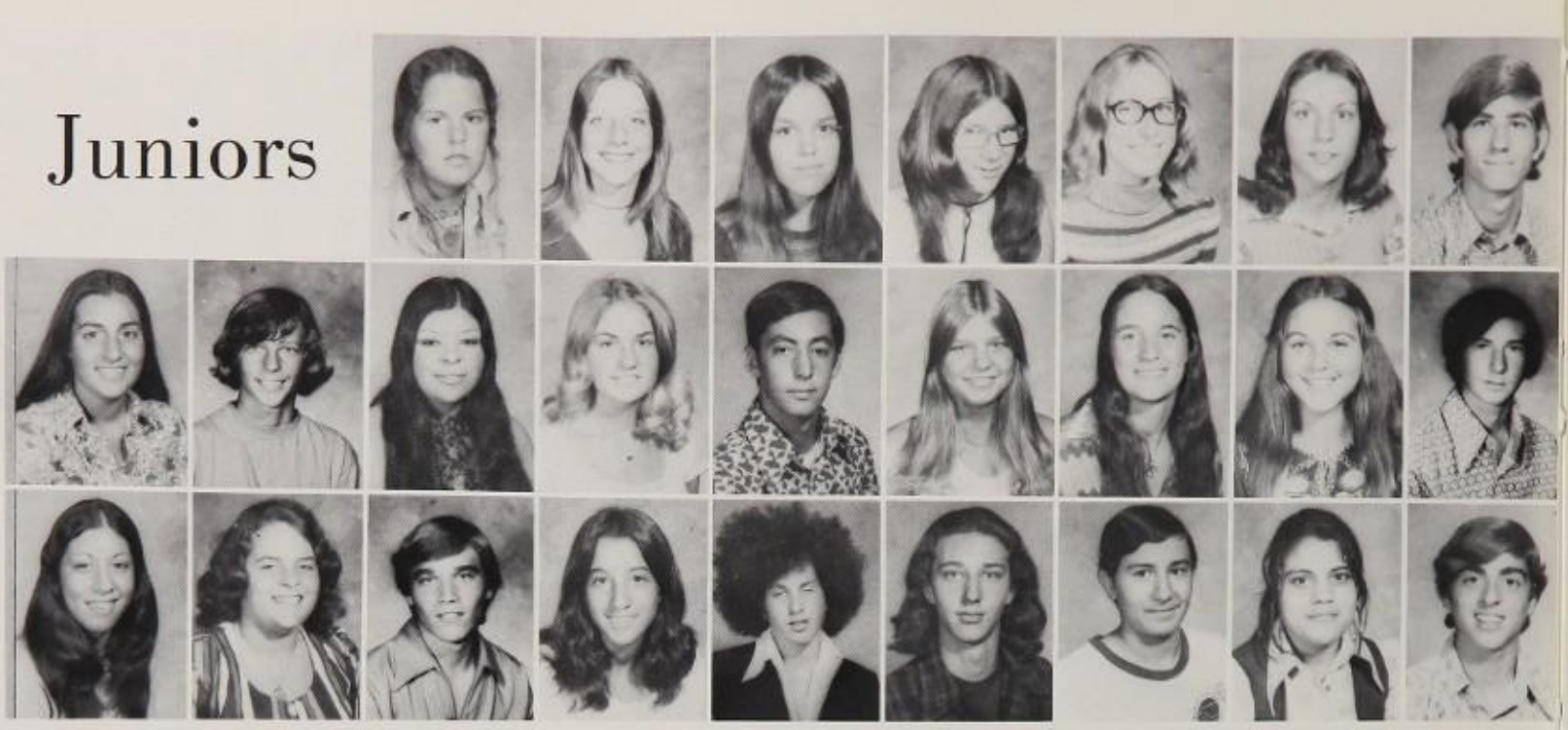

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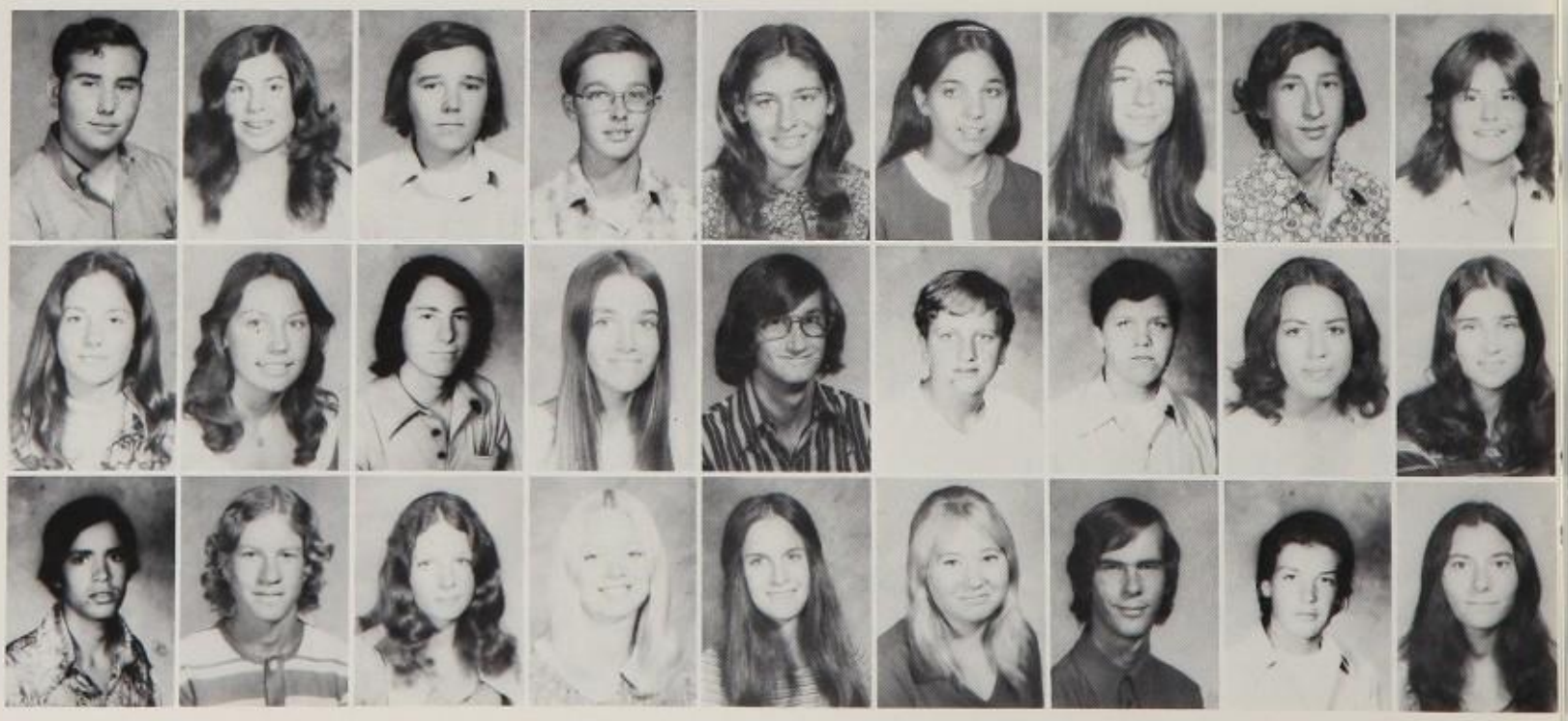

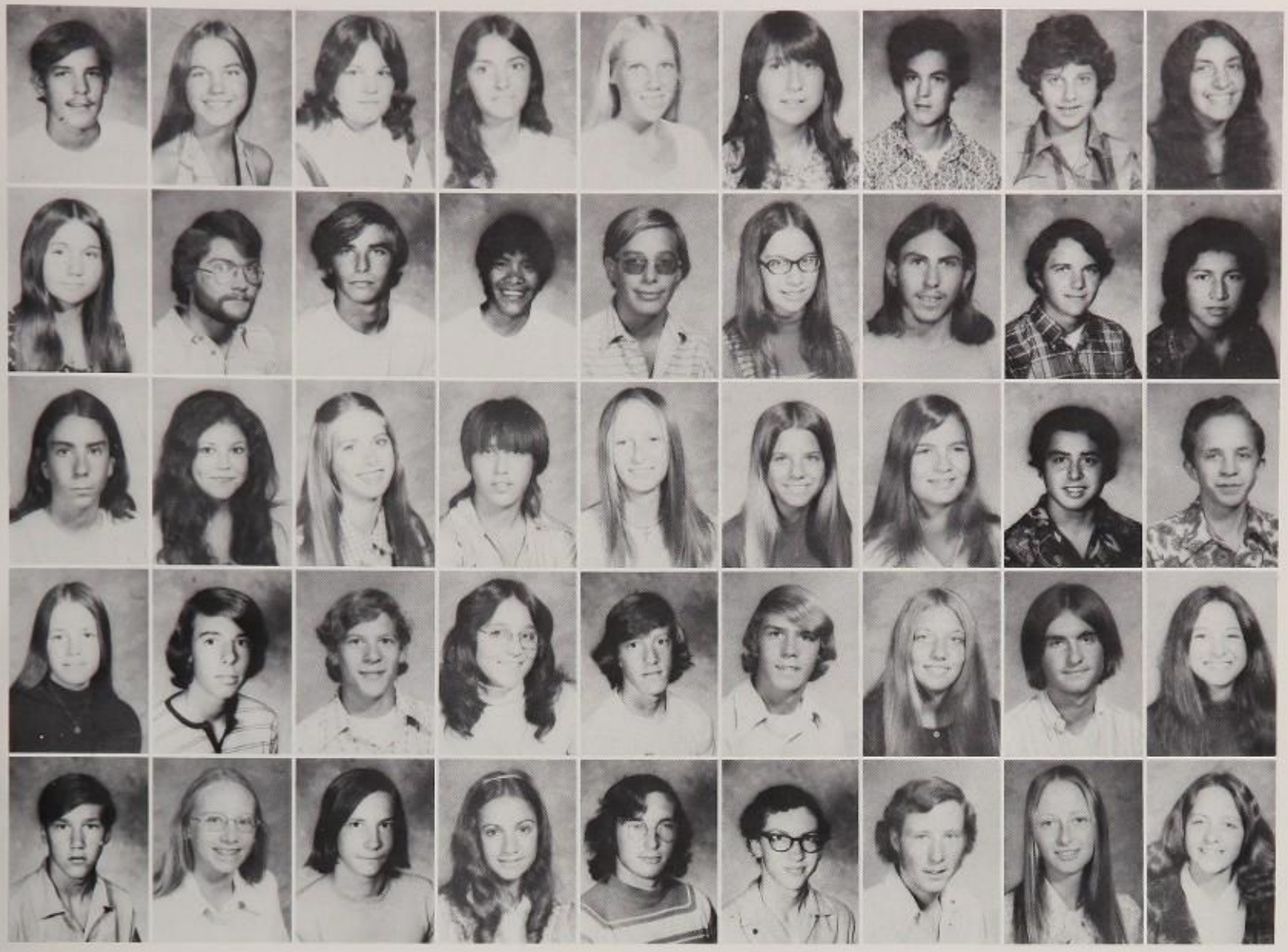

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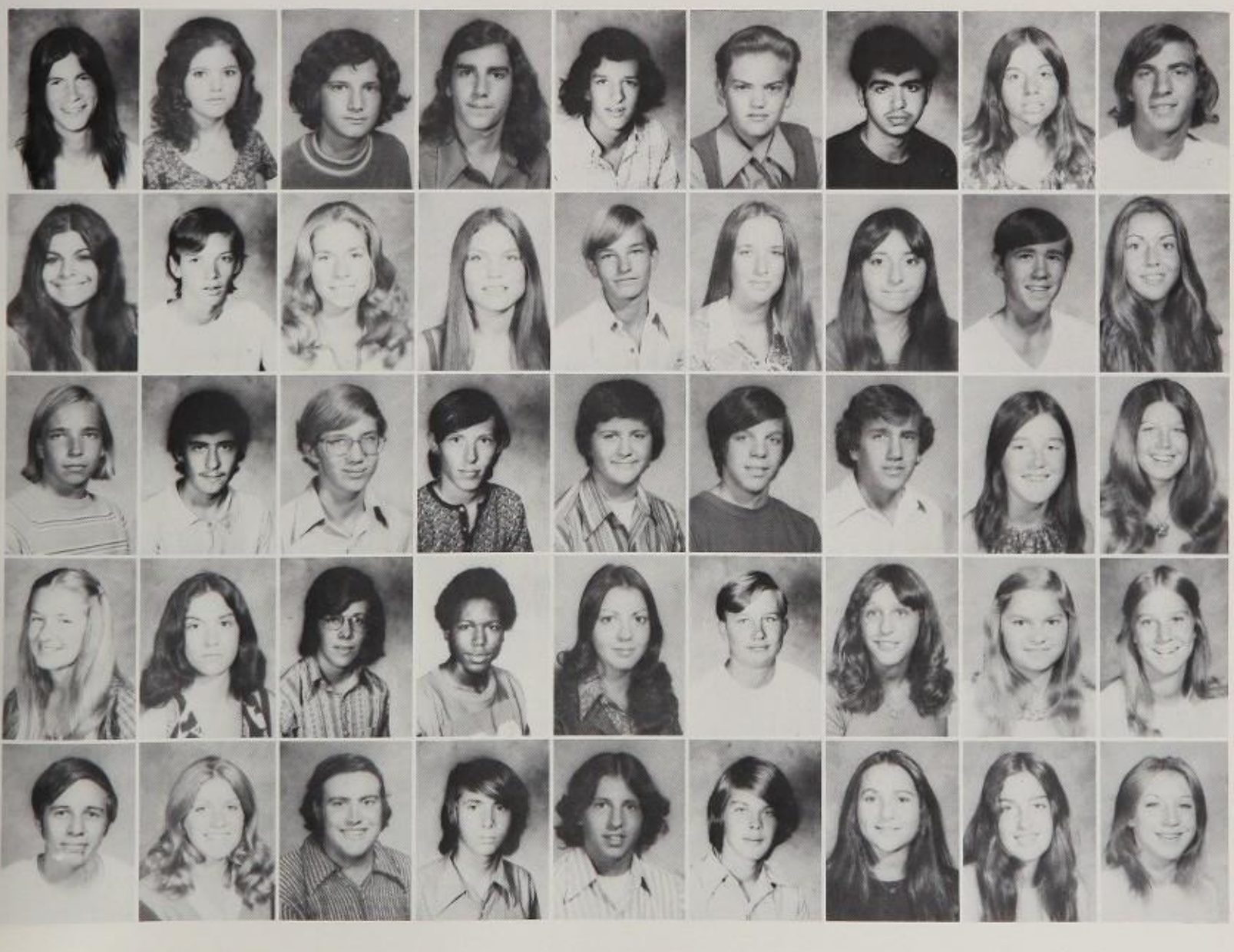

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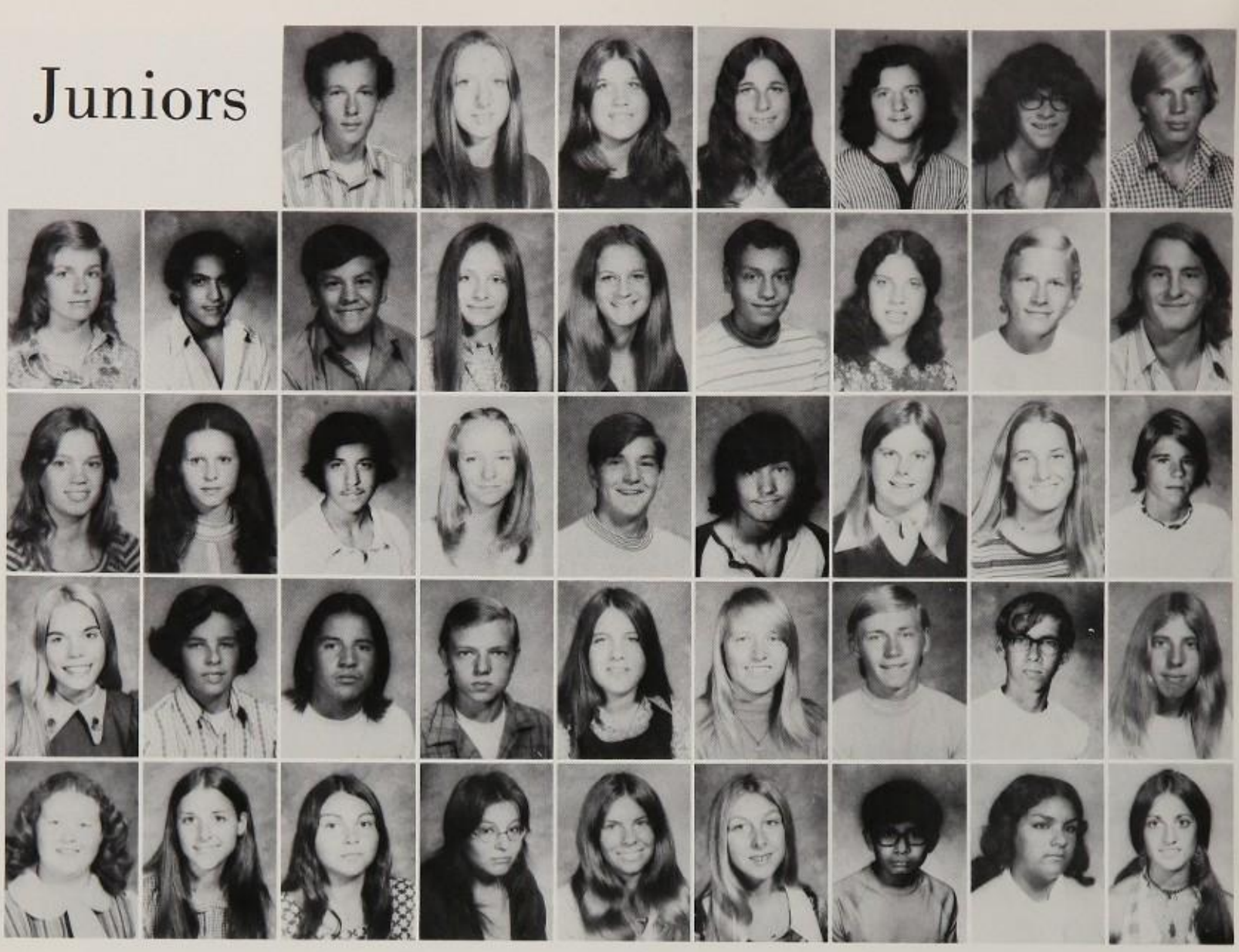

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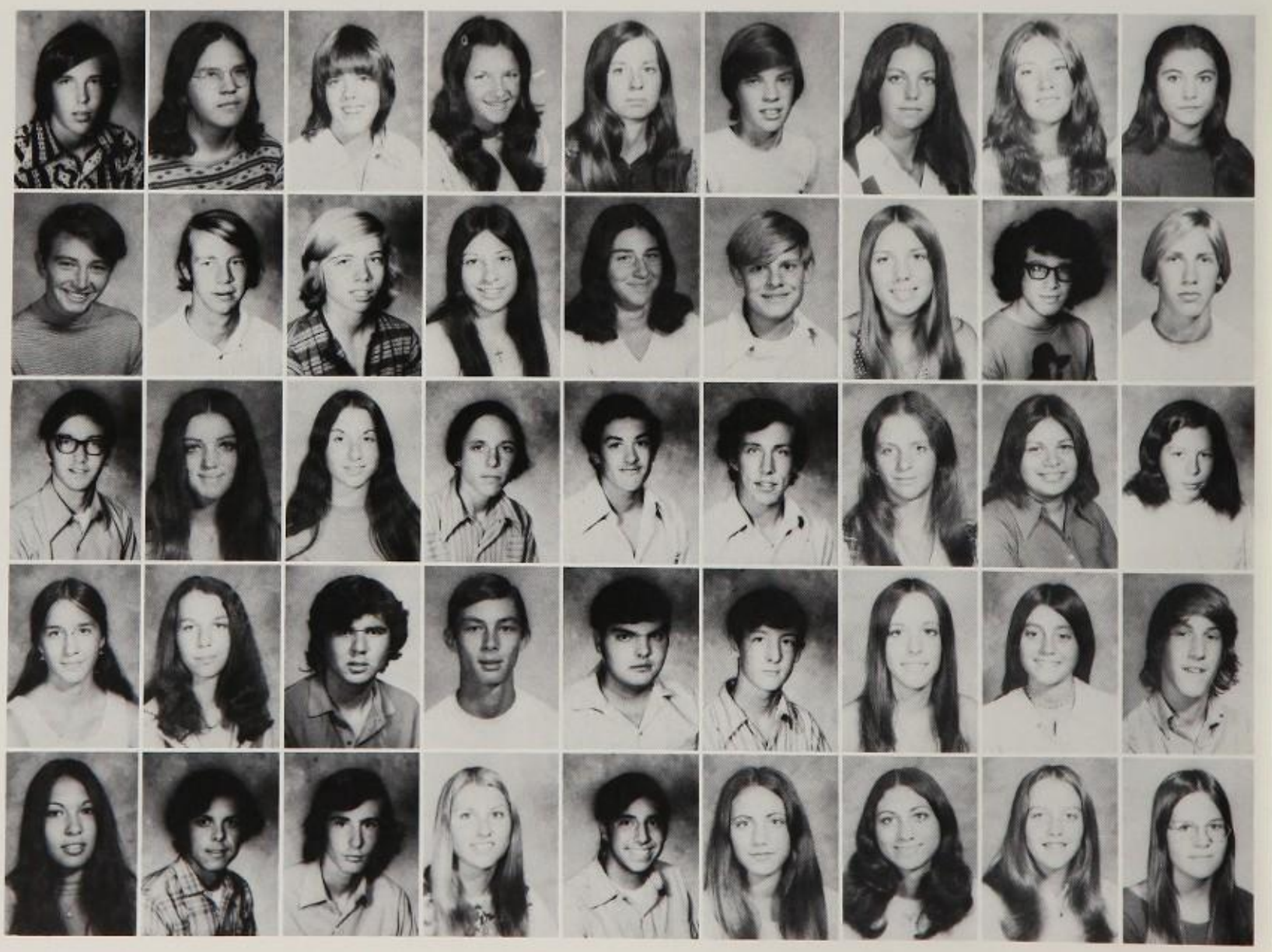

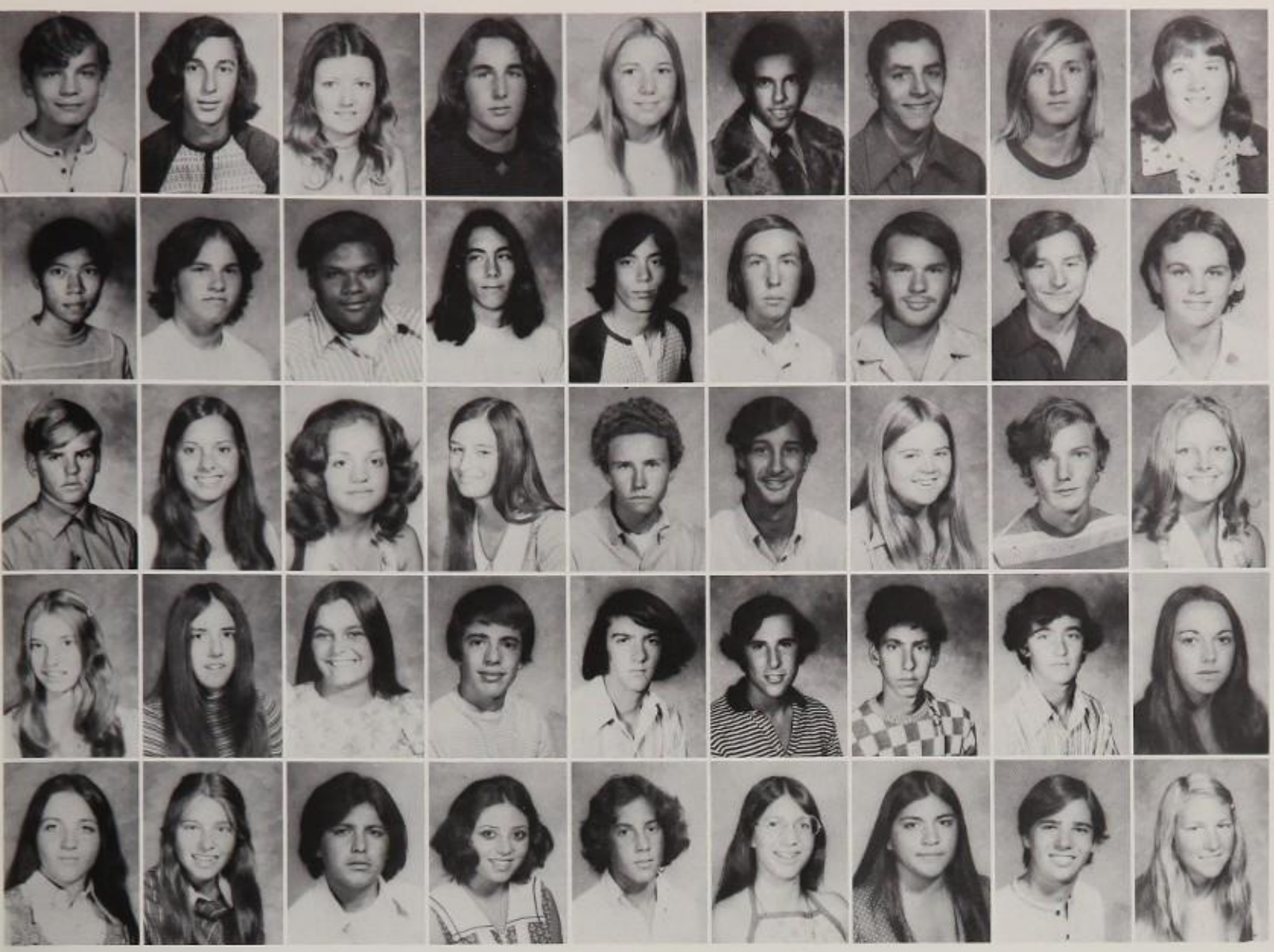

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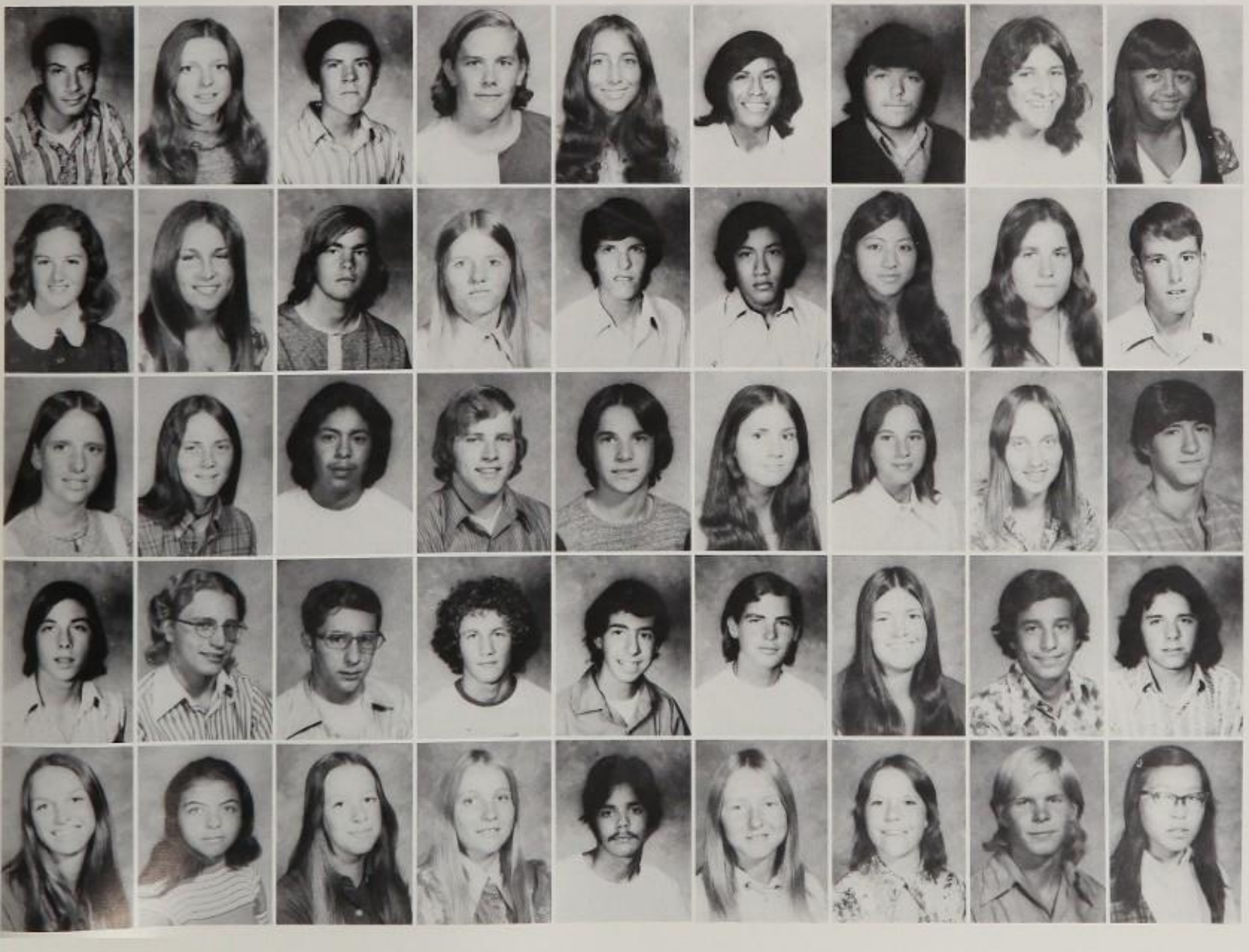

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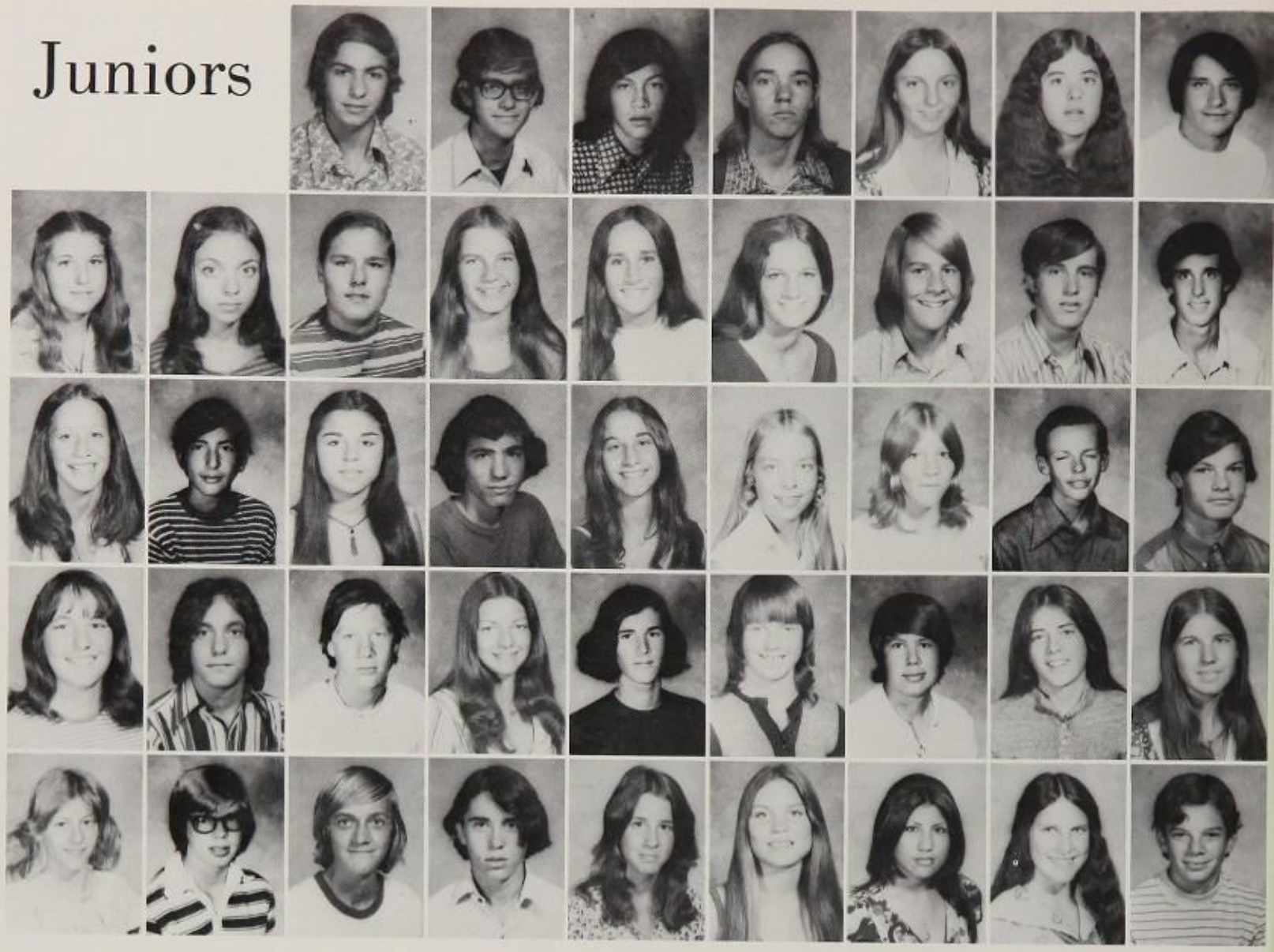

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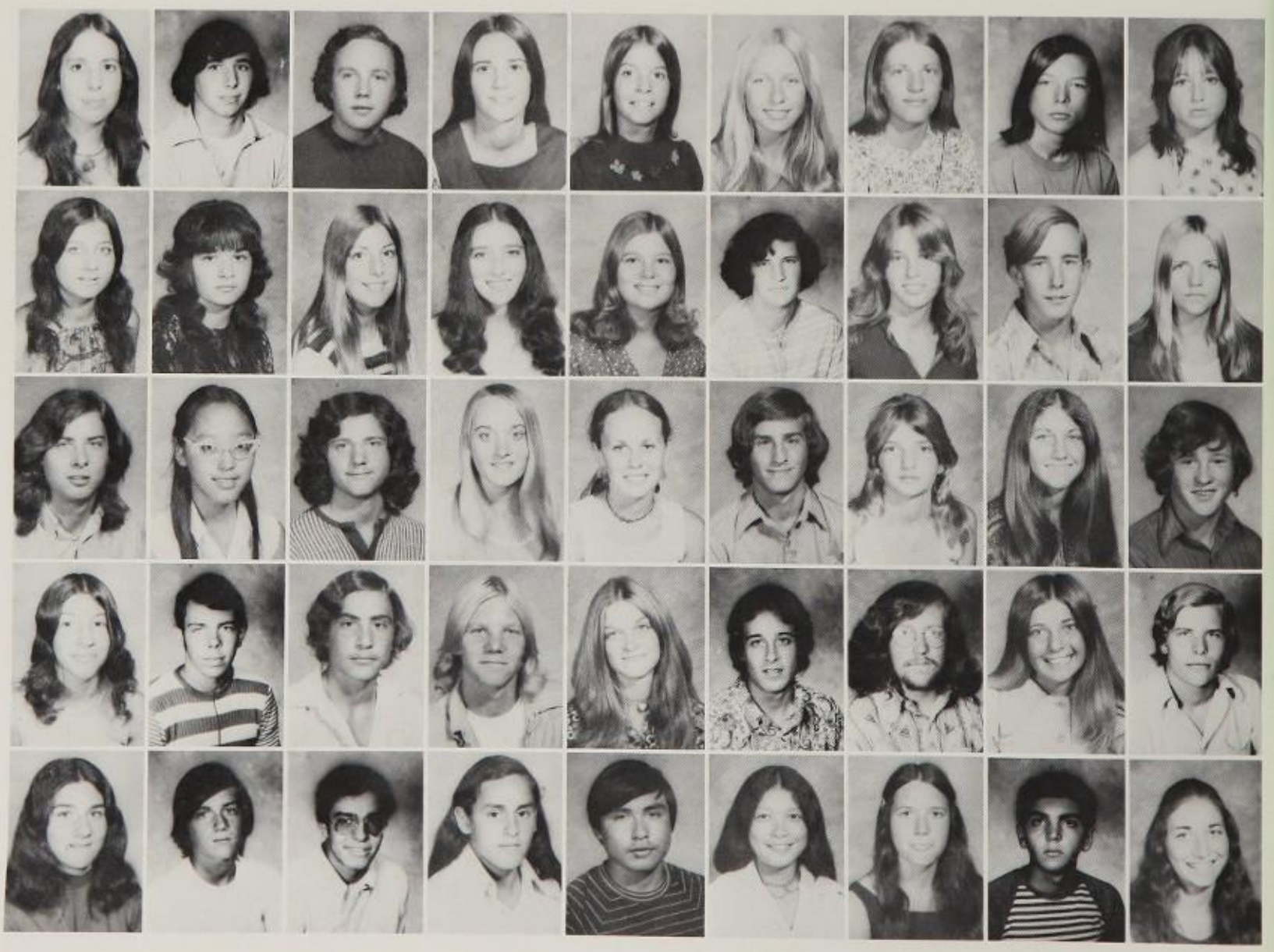

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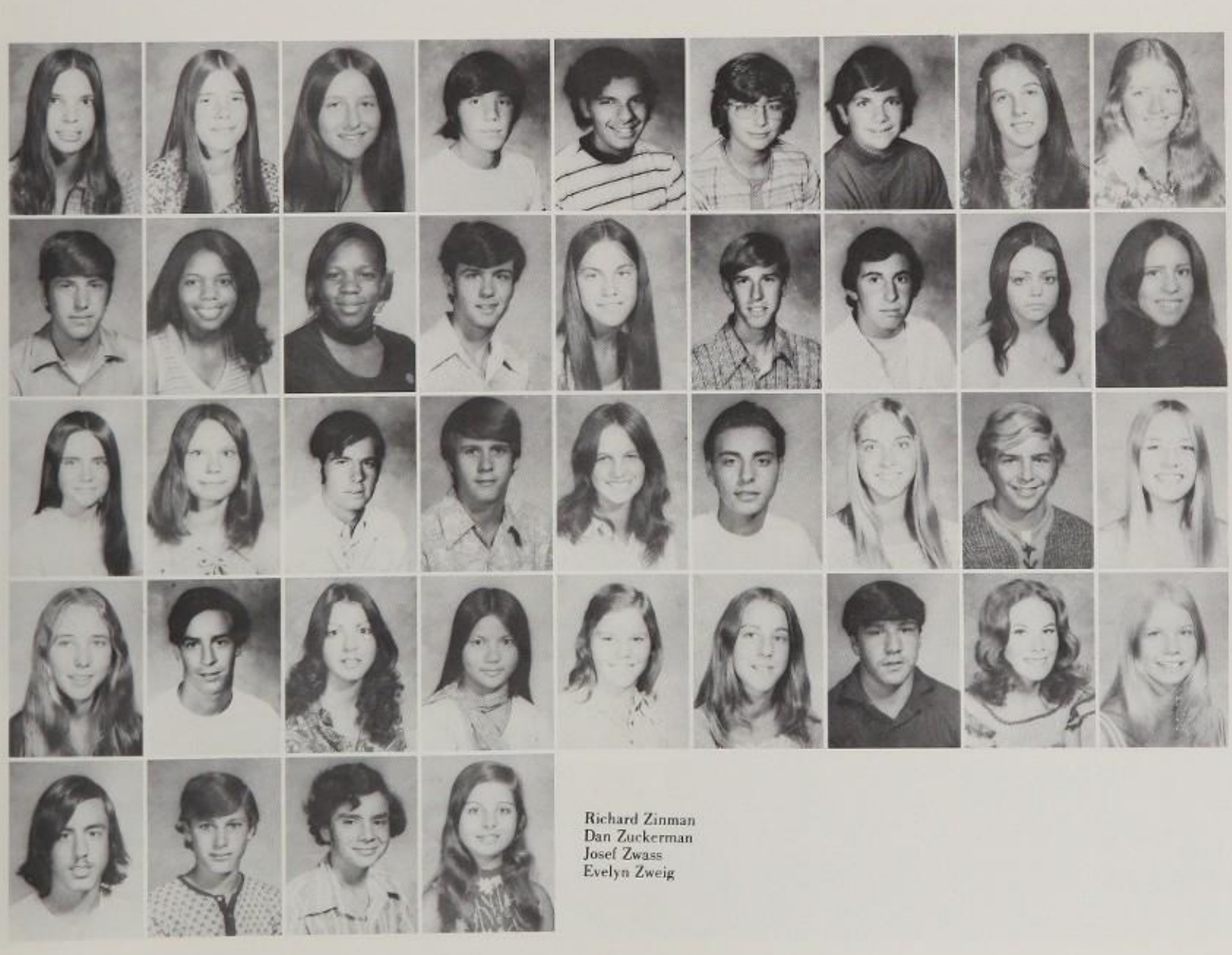

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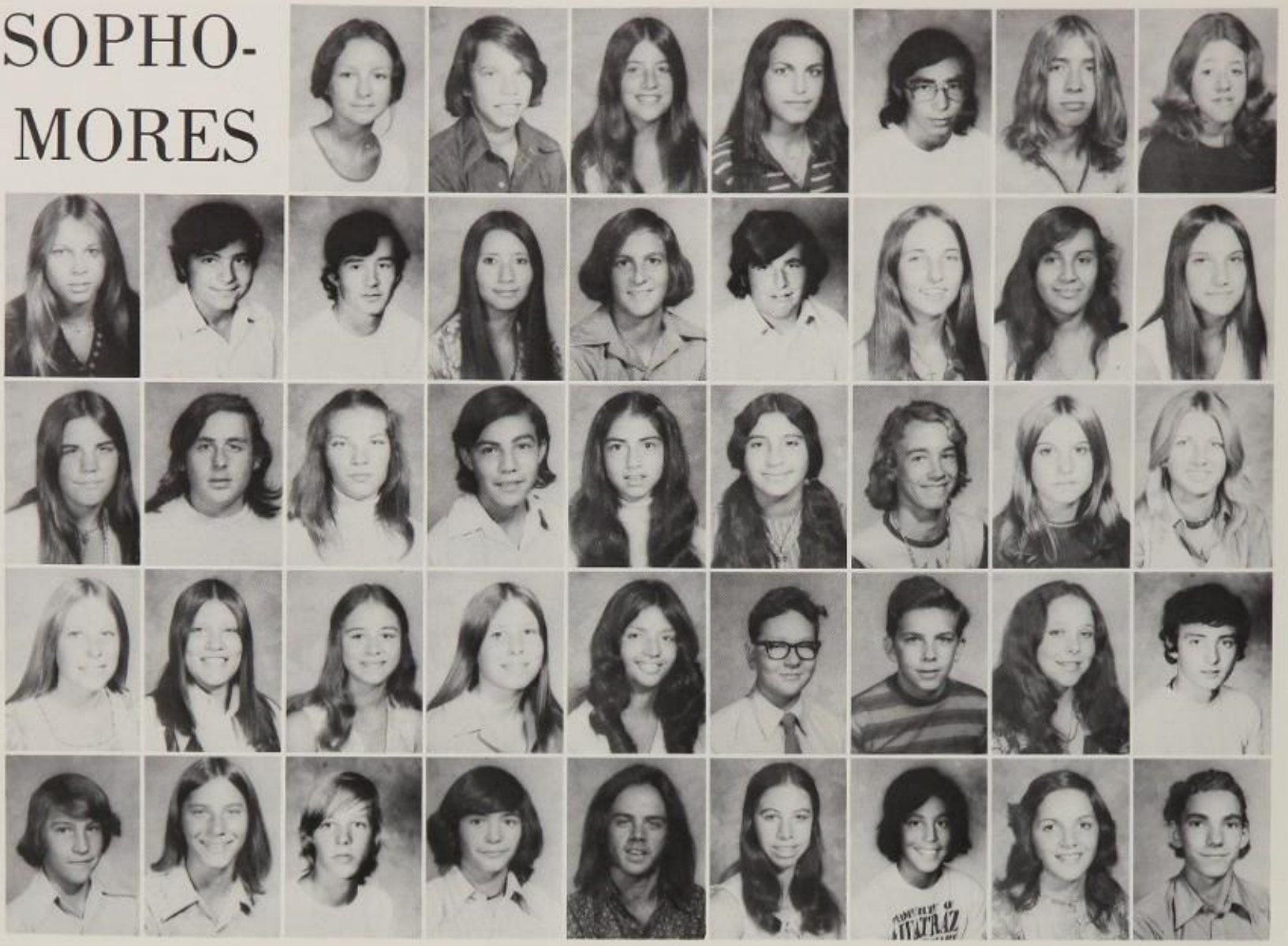

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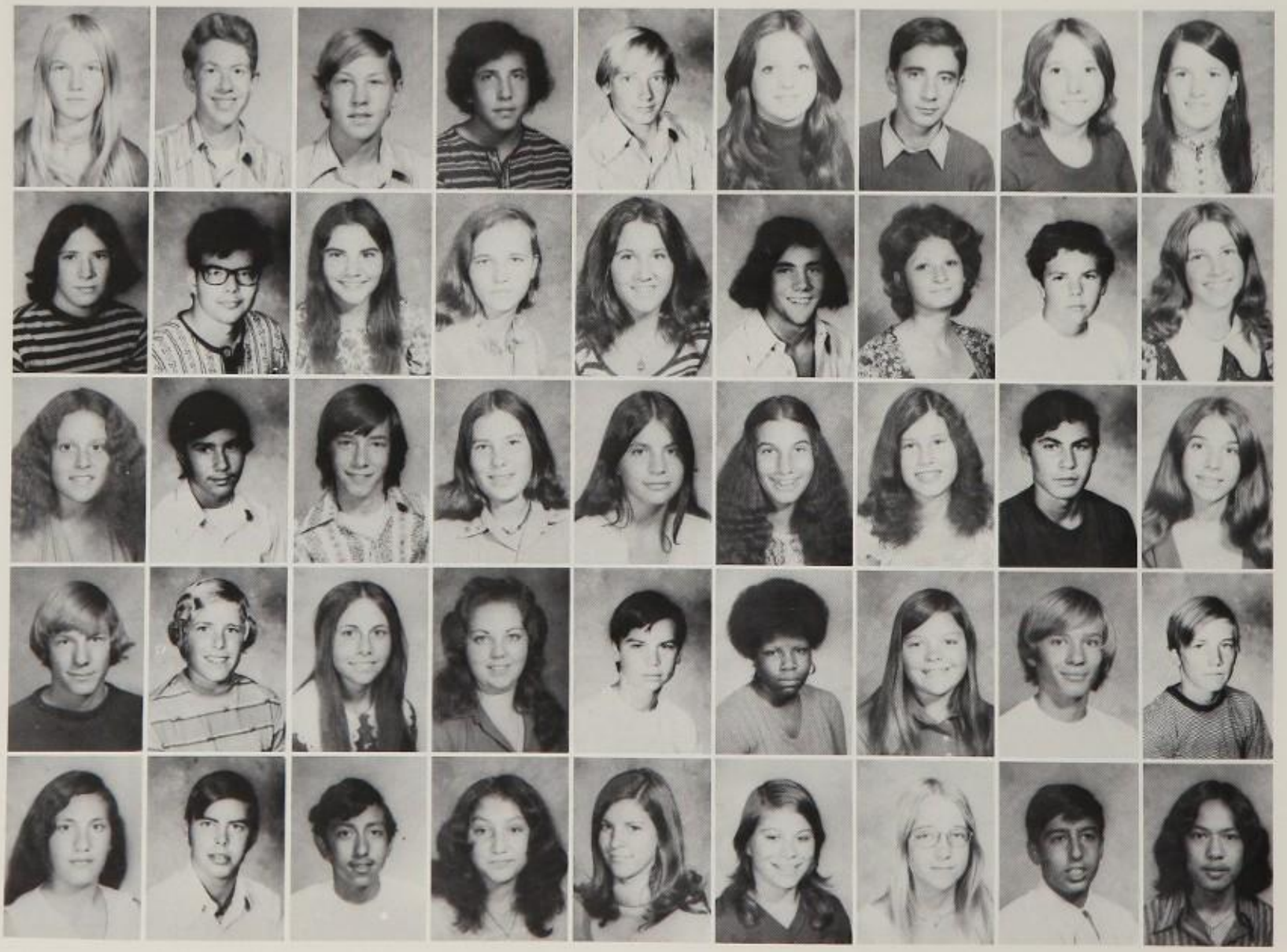

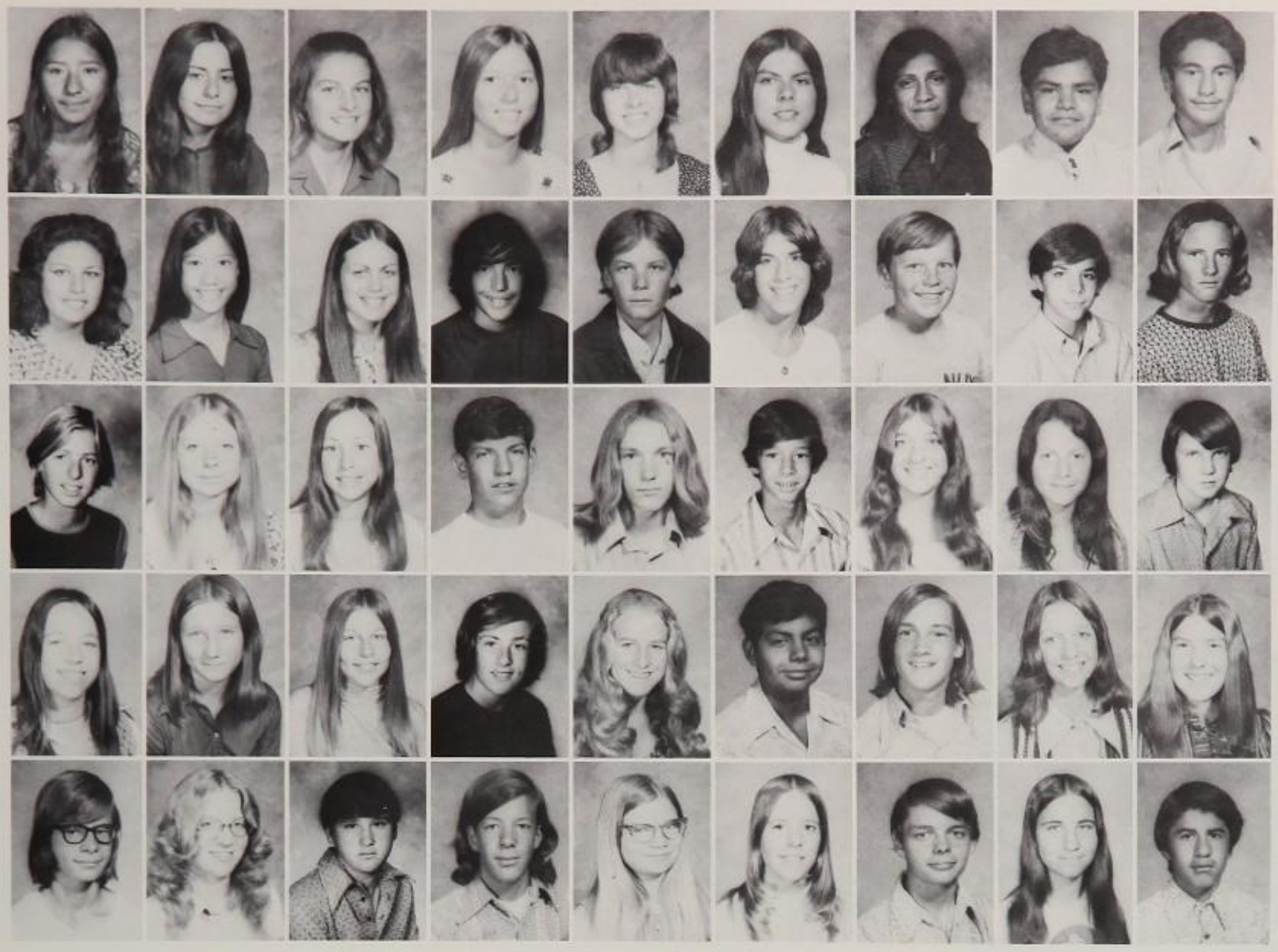

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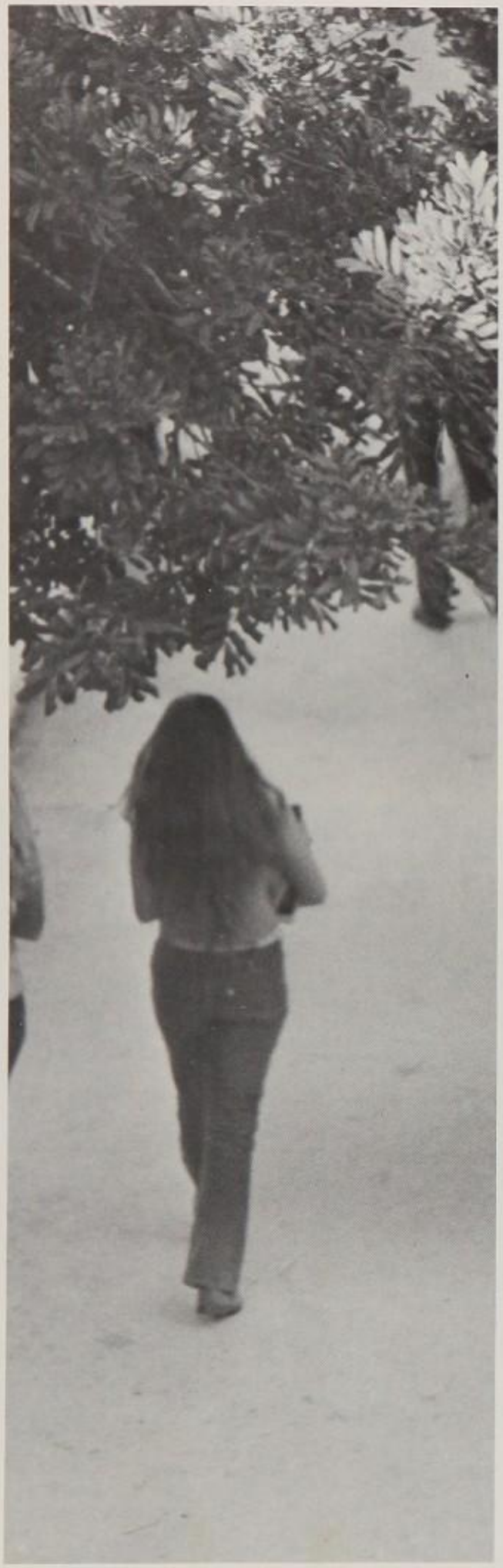

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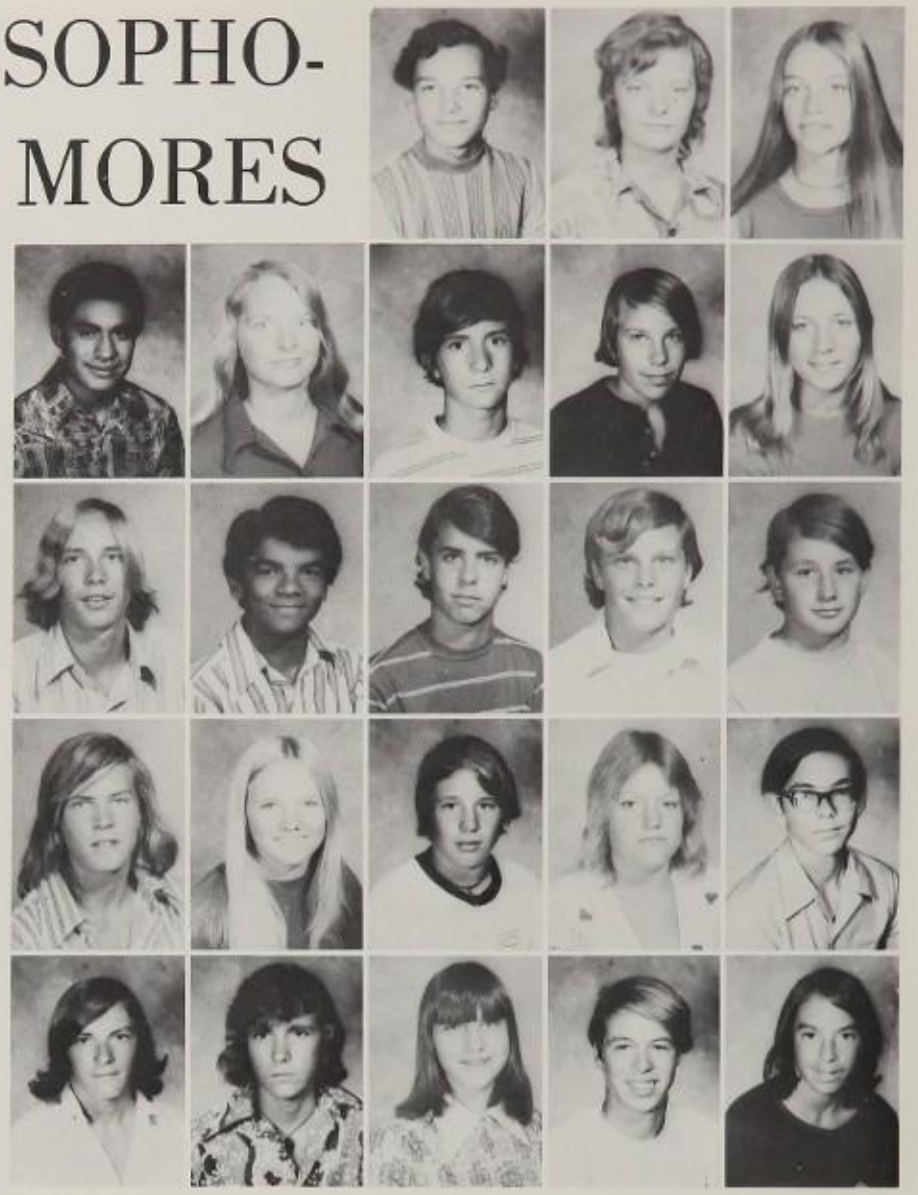

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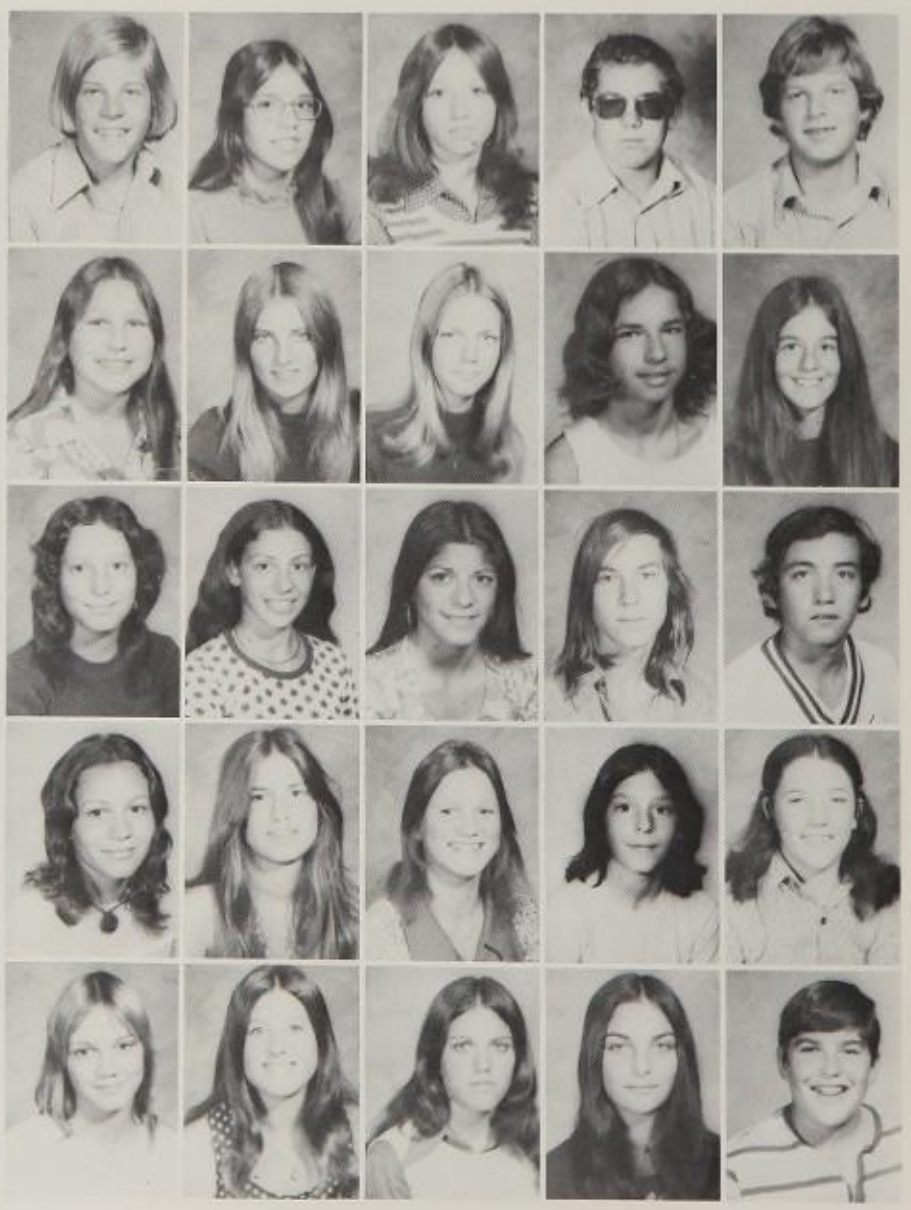

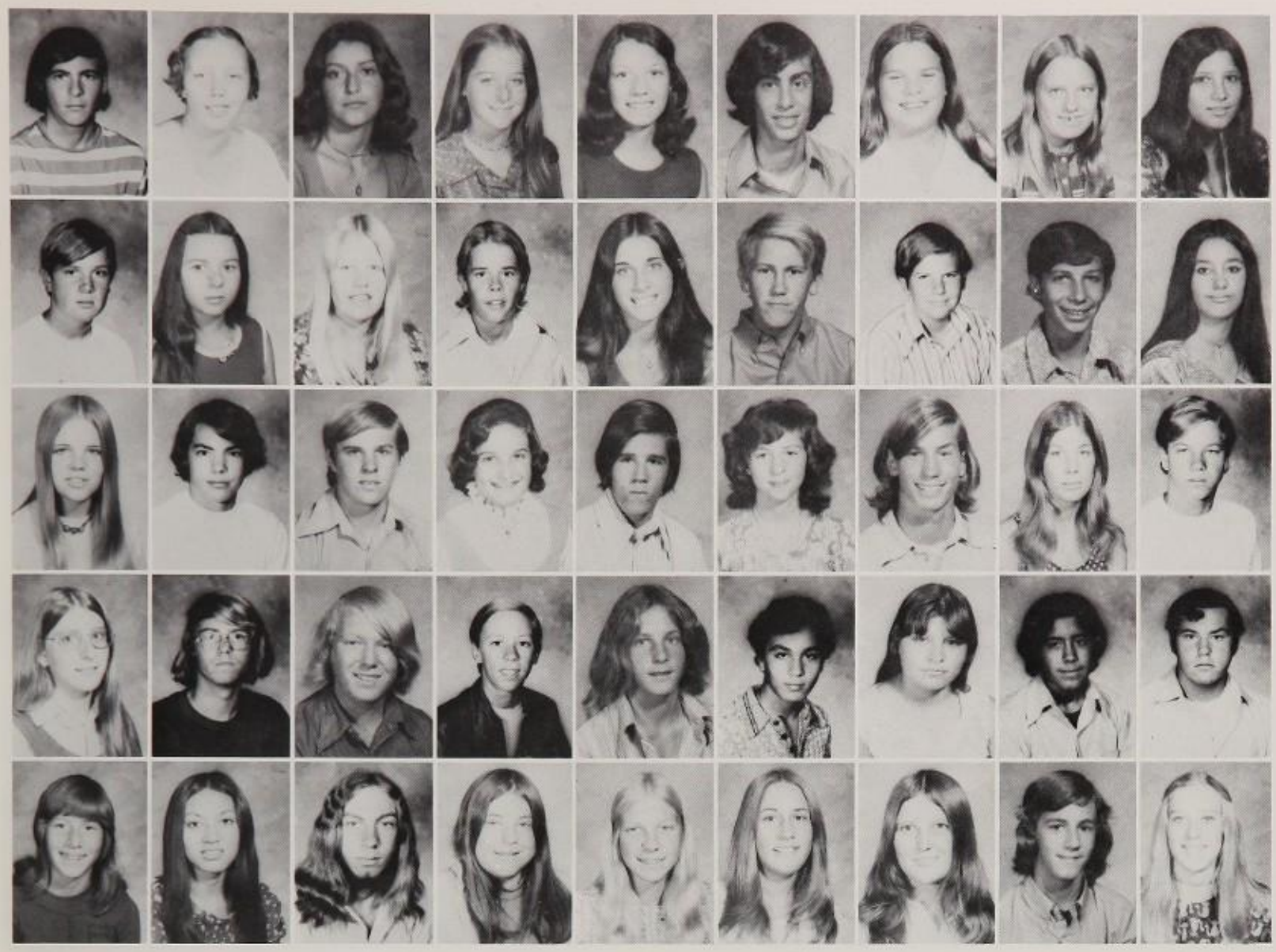

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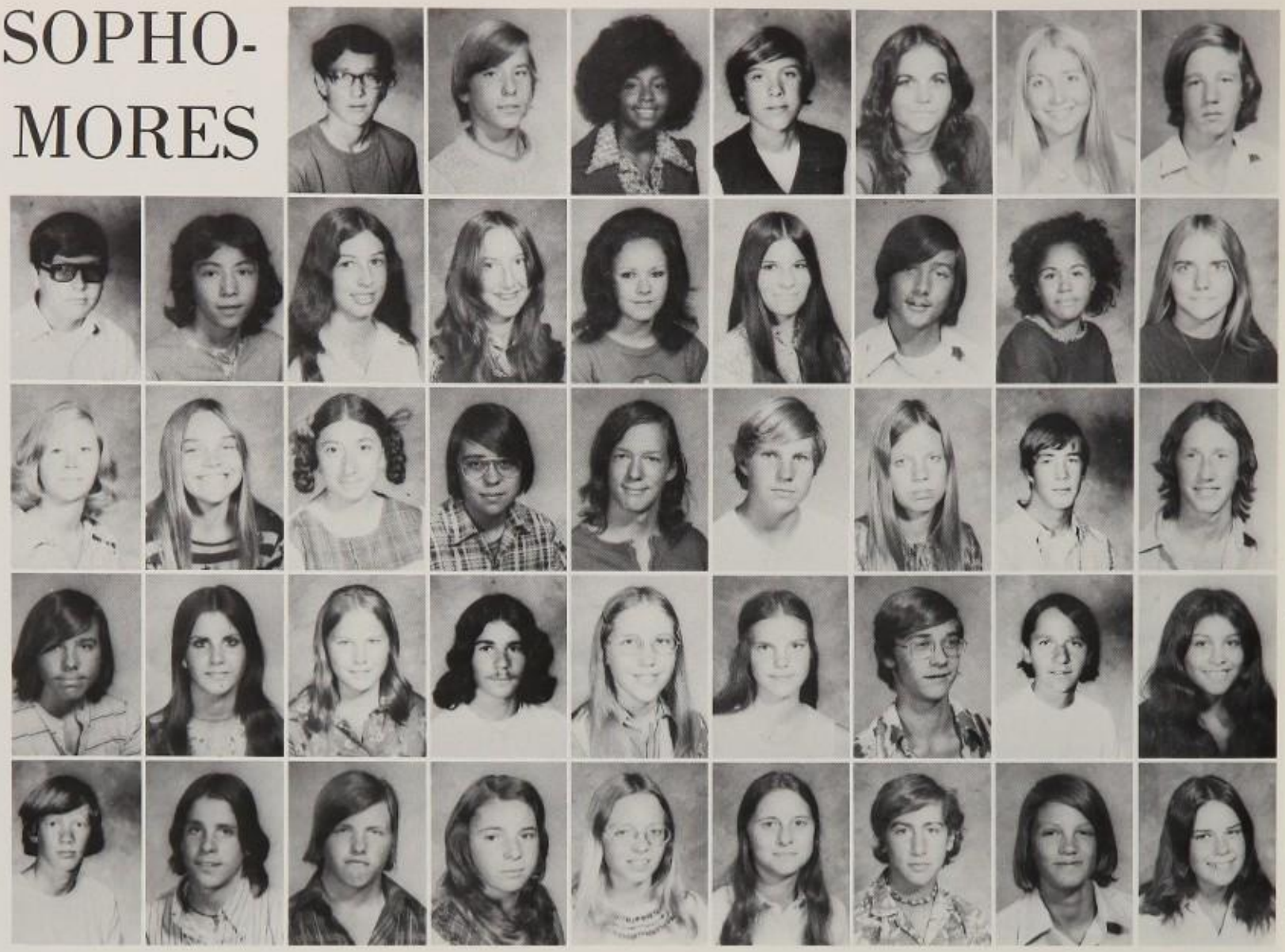

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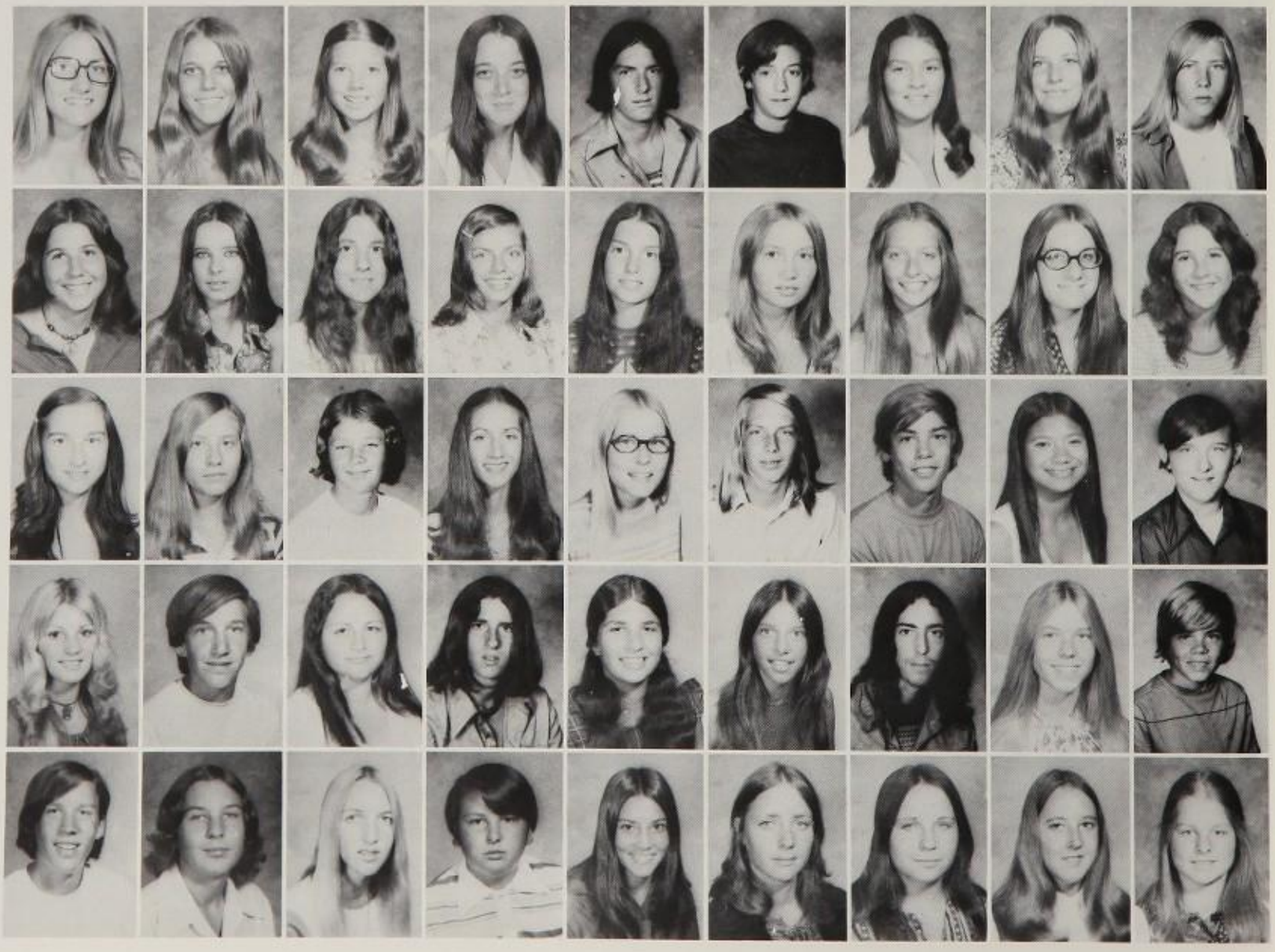

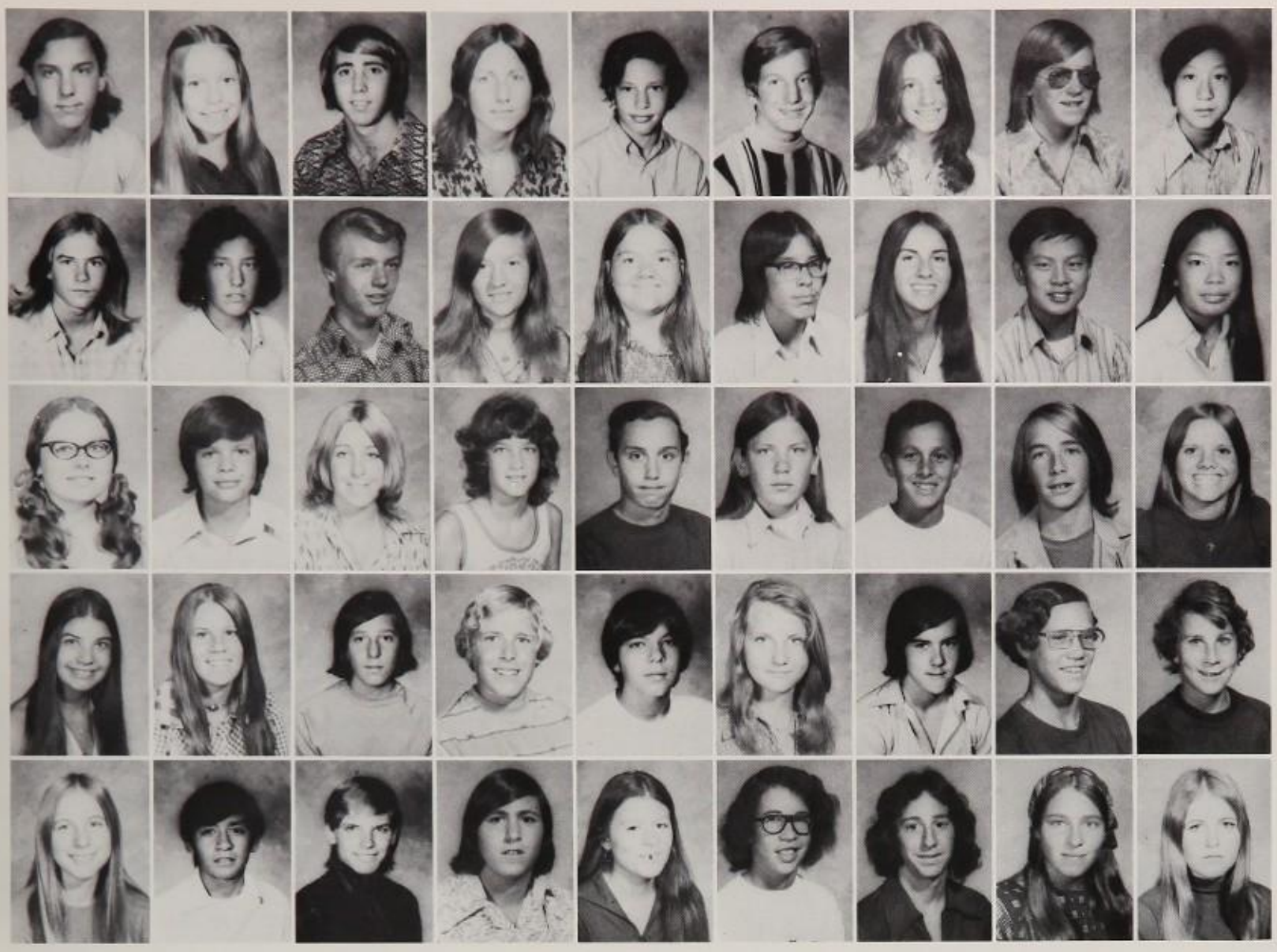

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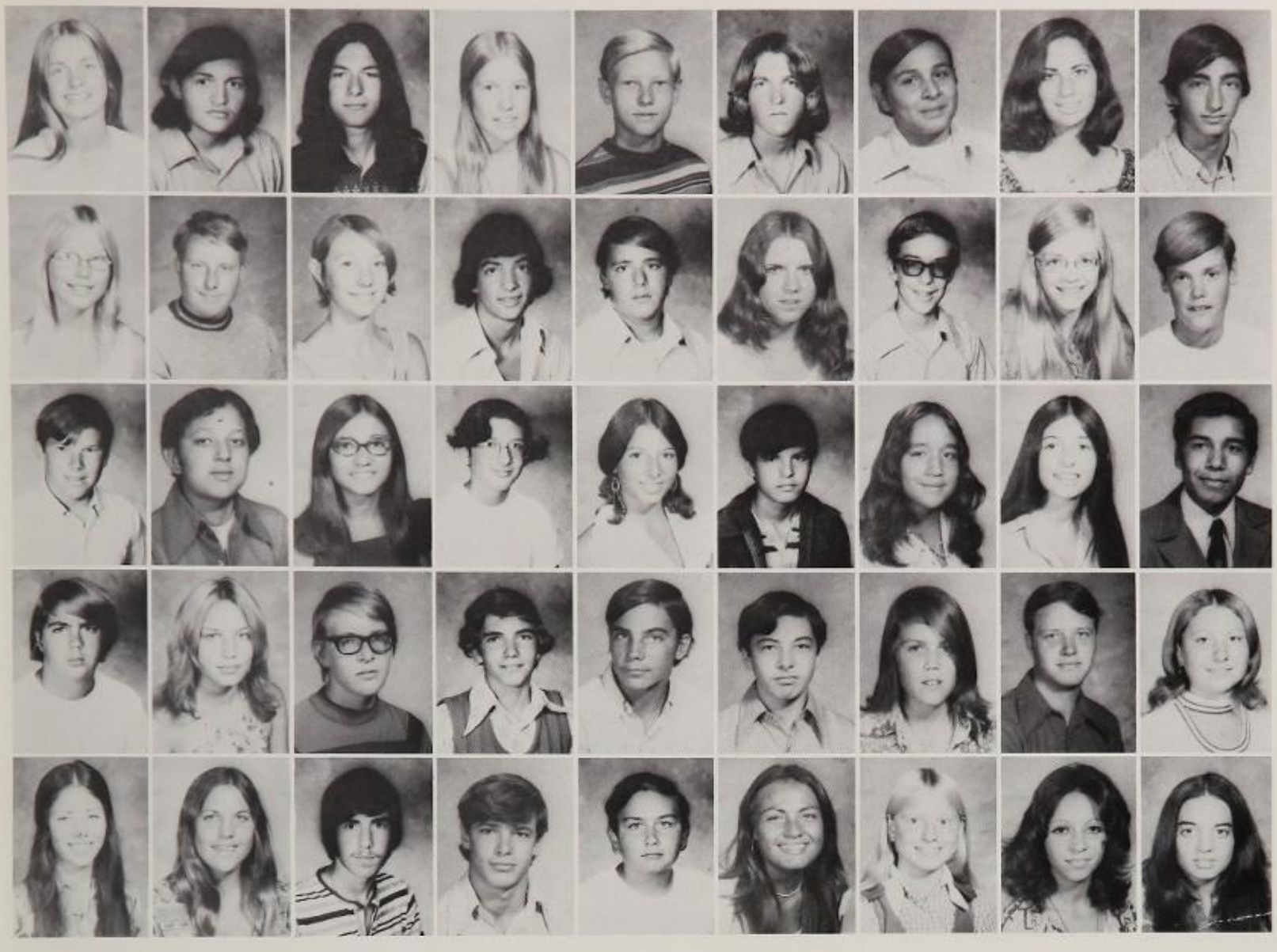

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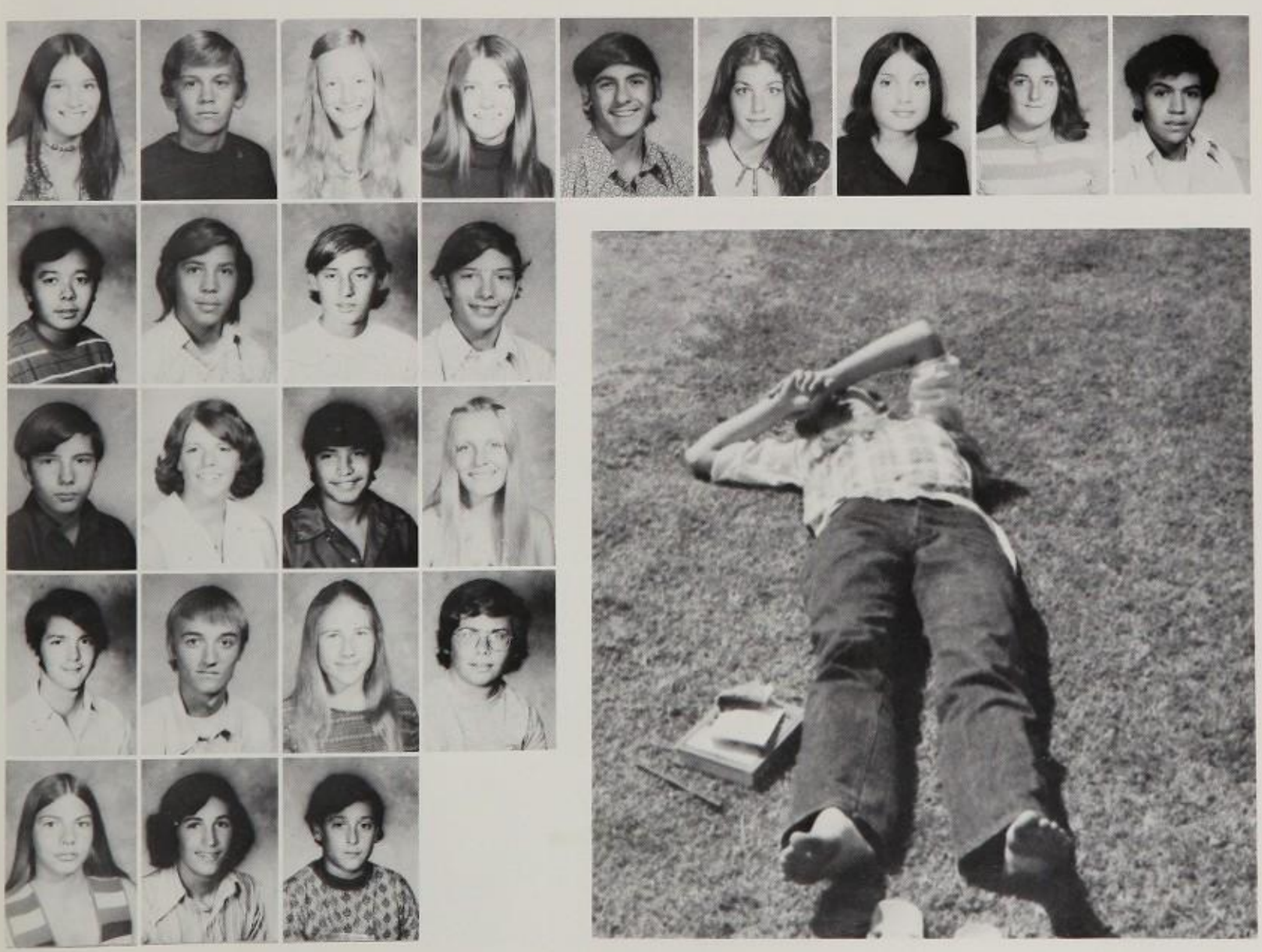

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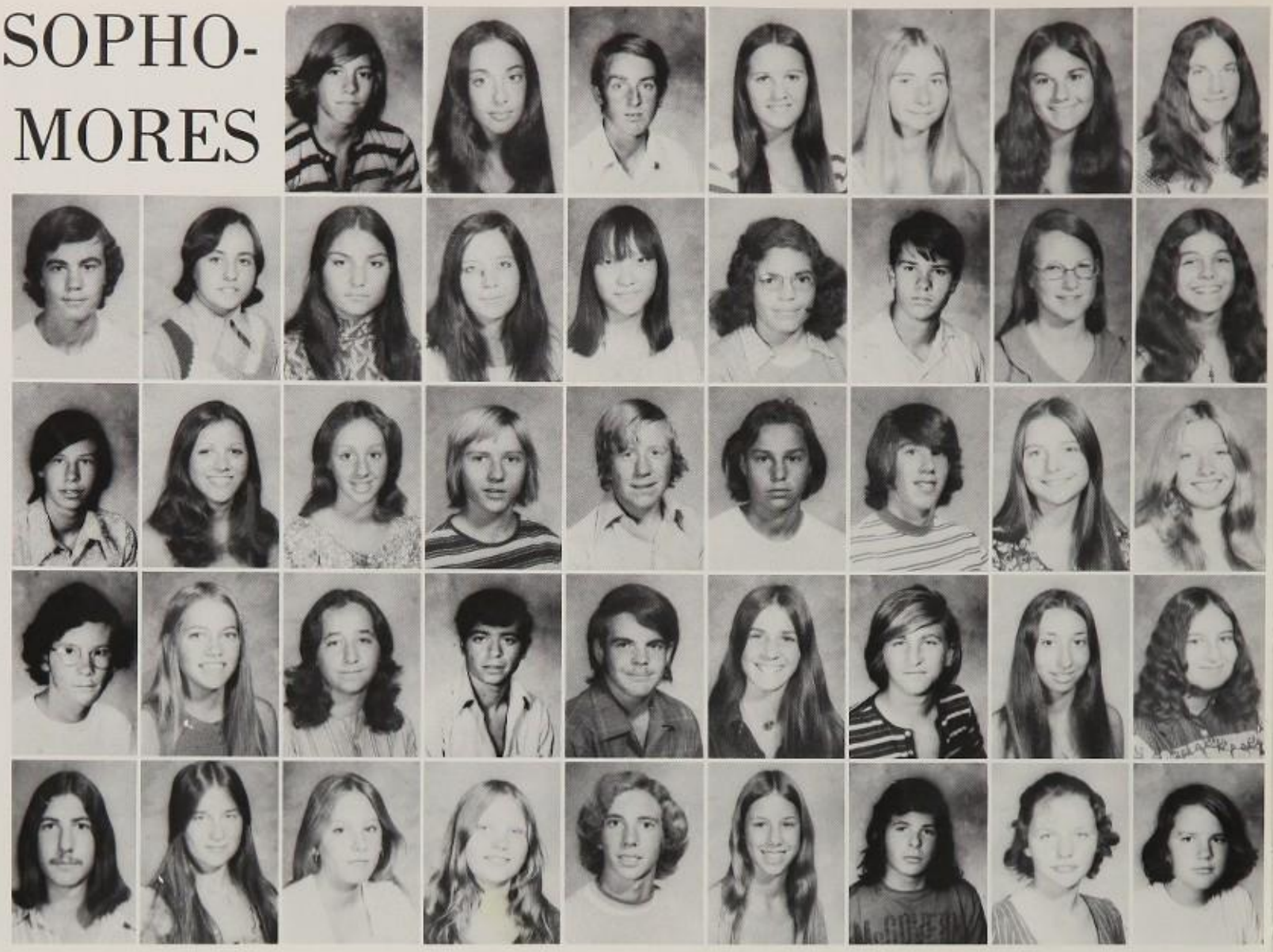

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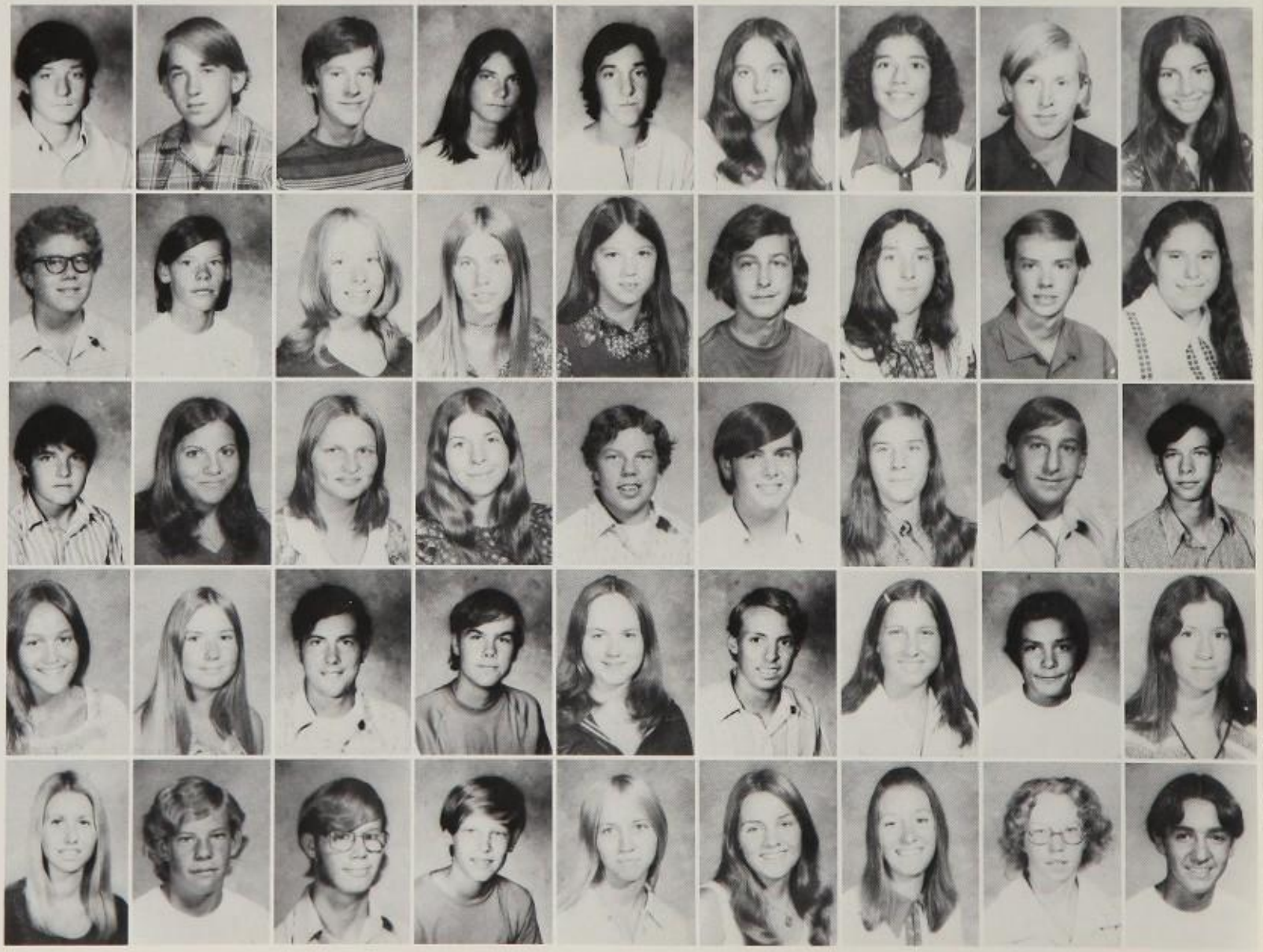

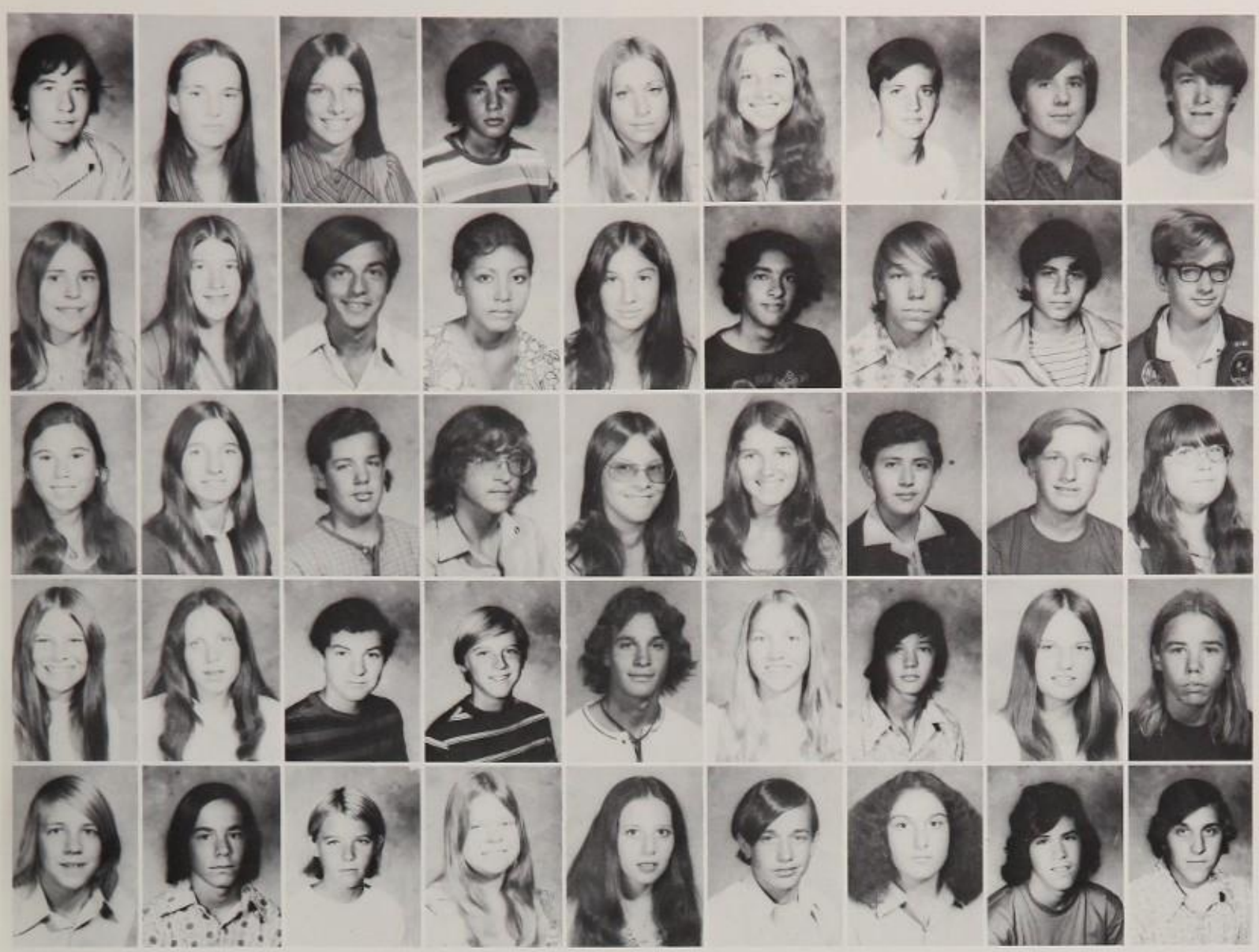

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Cliff Zellman
Robin Zide
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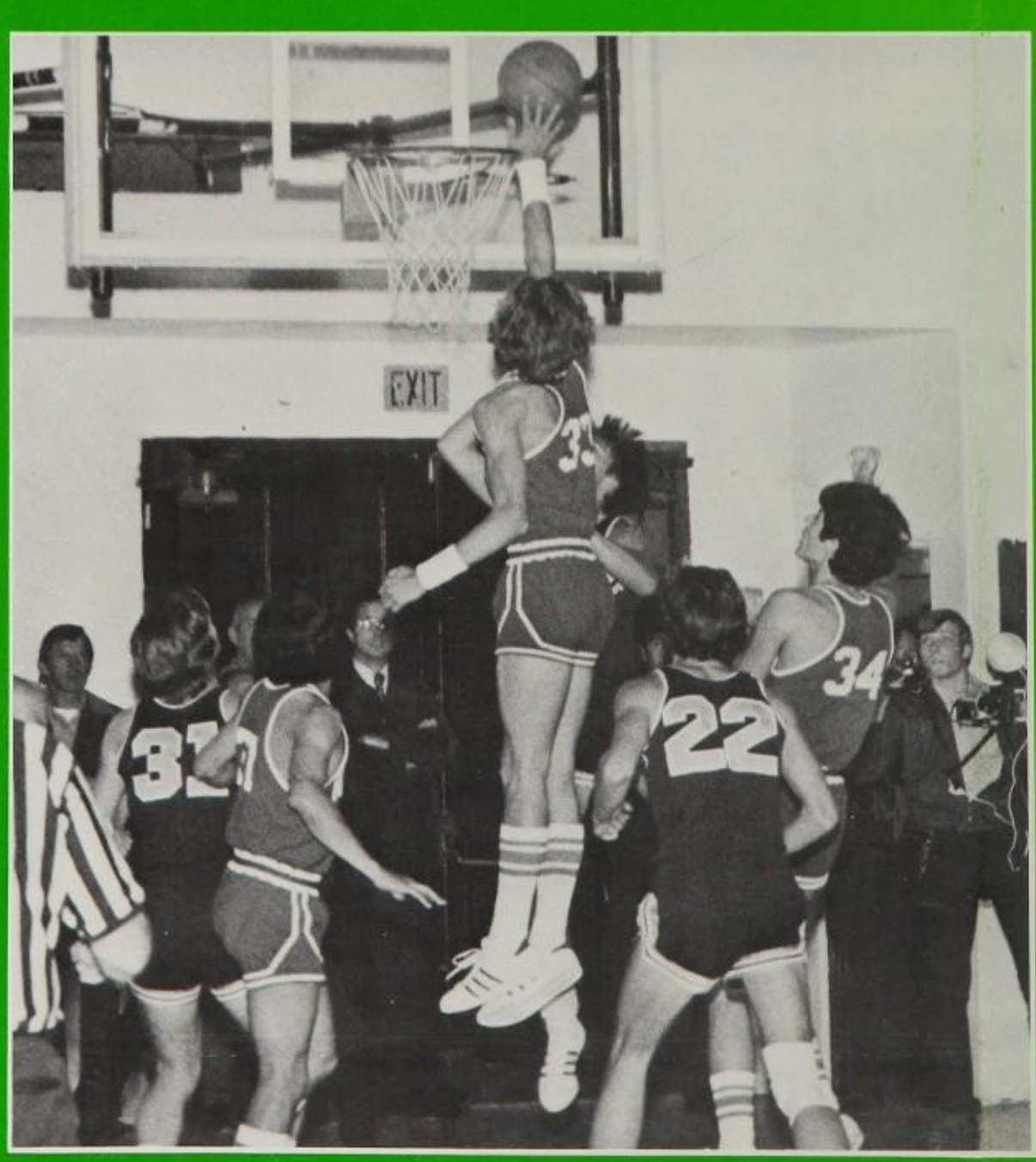
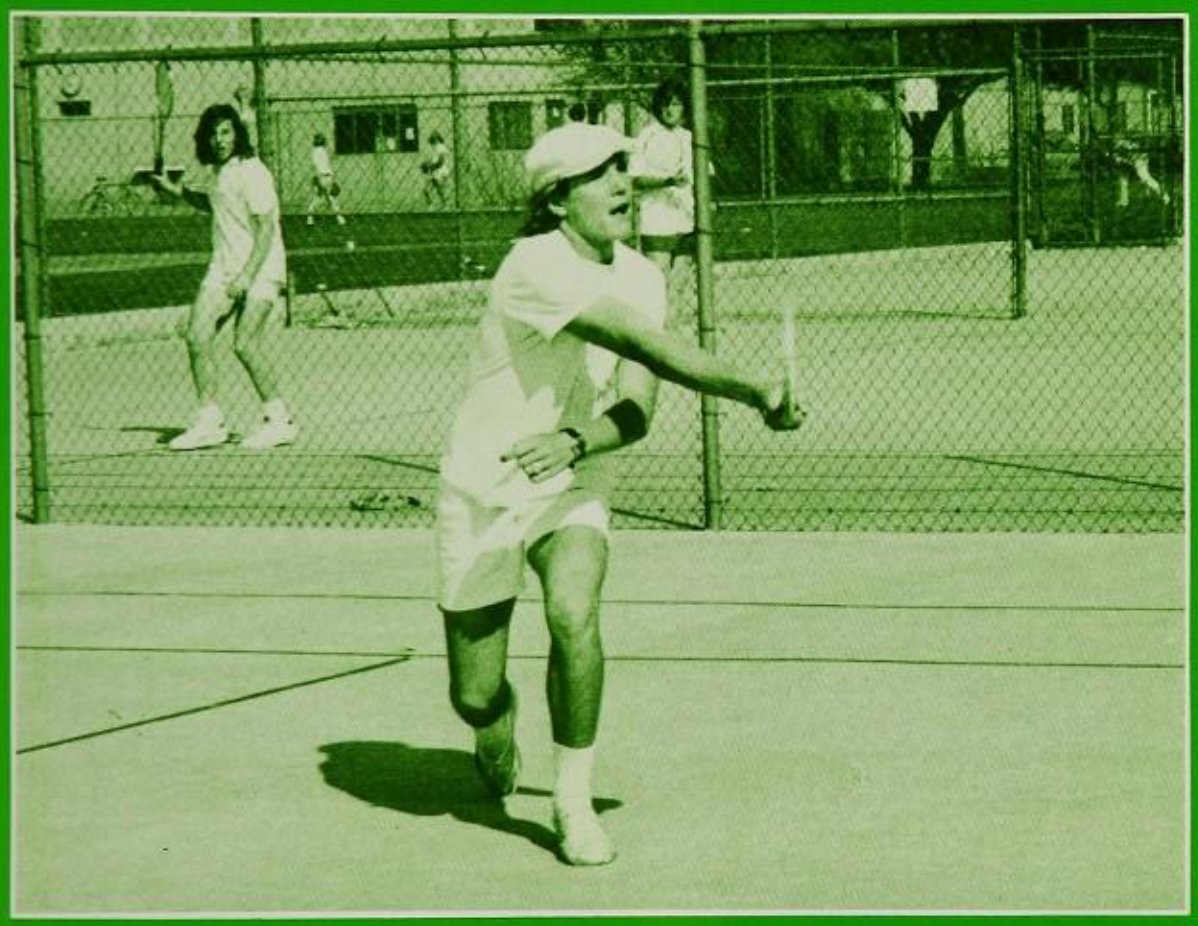
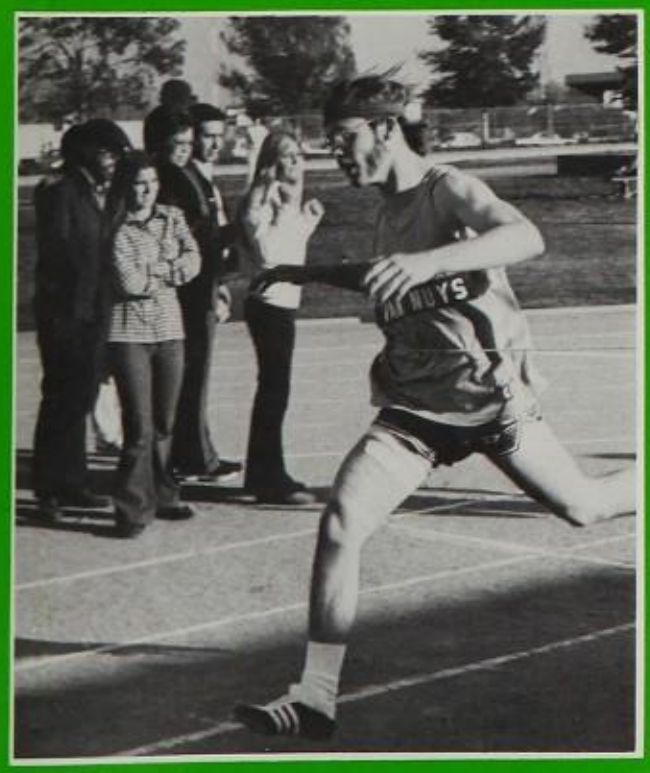
Terry Zinman
Gary Zive
Mary Ann Zook

Our vigorous participants in sports have been symbols of physical endeavor and achievement ever since the conception of the words "high school." Yet to each generation, they are individuals, heroes, and living legends who have the power to make or break the reputation of the school. This year they did very well, indeed.







Sports

VARSITY FOOTBALL TEAM

The Van Nuys Varsity Team got off to a fine start with a shut-out victory over Reseda. But as the season dragged on, the Wolves saw only one win, the Homecoming game against Birmingham, and took fifth in the league. Some of the outstanding players were Matt Klain, Ted Trubenback, Marc Brown, Jon Massaro, Ken Vanderburg, and John Jesson. All-League players included Bob Ochoa, Marty Leko, Matt Klain, and Jon Massaro.

Bob Ochoa rolls out while looking for his receivers downfield.

Wes Fraychineaud keeps his balance for the extra yards.

VARSITY SCORES

VAN NUYS		
30	Reseda	0
0	Palisades	6
13	Dorsey	14
14	San Fernando	32
14	Monroe	28
17	Birmingham	16
12	Poly	22
13	Granada Hills	45

Fighting his way through the Monroe defense is Marty Leko.

Richard Scribner makes a sweeping run against Birmingham.

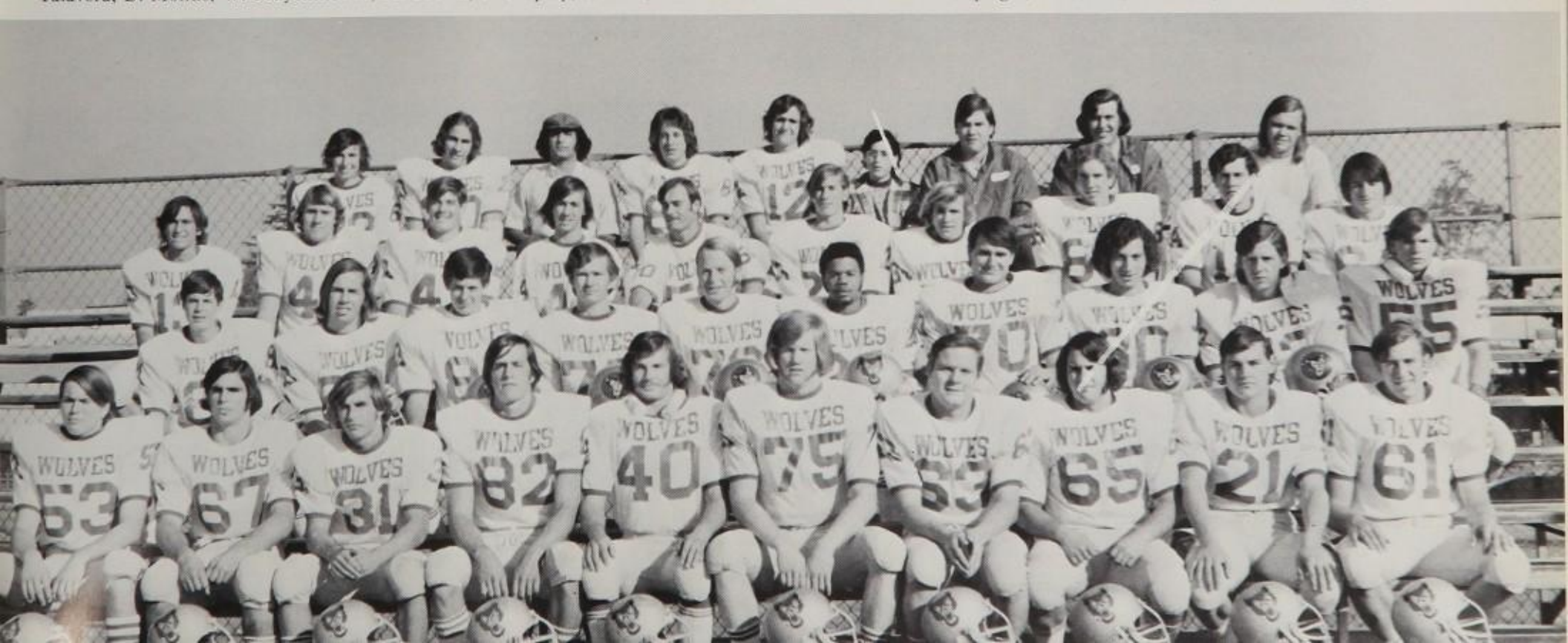
Stopping a Dolphin ball carrier is Roy Viveros with some extra help from Don Monus and Jon Massaro.

After connecting with John Stine, Matt Klain goes in for the winning T.D. against Birmingham.

Getting his hand on this Viking is Marc Brown.

VARSITY FOOTBALL TEAM

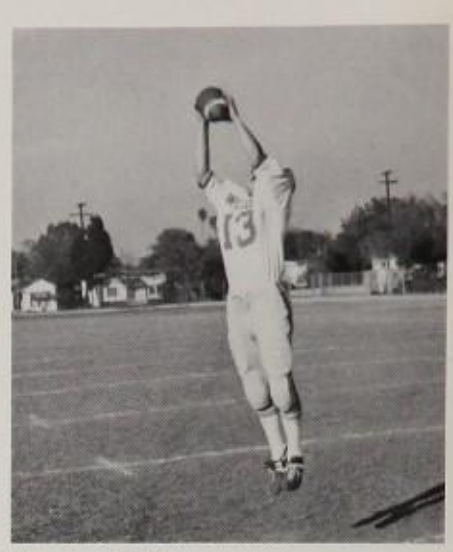
FIRST ROW: J. Preston, T. Finnigan, T. Marko, M. Whipp, M. Leko, D. Arnold, F. Childress, K. Vanderburg, J. Massaro, B. Romanowitz. SECOND ROW: J. Woodward, A. Nielsen, C. Patrick, J. Bruther, J. Wiley, E. Bland, P. Pappas, L. Brodrick, B. Heinze, S. Rankin. THIRD ROW: M. Klain, R. Scribner, D. Hain, D. Talavera, D. Monus, W. Fraychineaud, M. Brown, S. Shepley, J. Stine, T. Schoffstall. FOURTH ROW: M. Spiegal, B. Rotella, B. Ochoa, T. Trubenback, J. Jesson.



Steven Rankin
Linebacker

Richard Scribner
Fullback

Fred Childress
Left Tackle



Matthew Klain
End

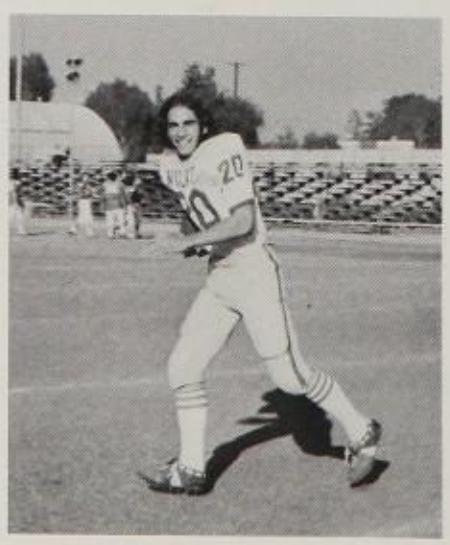
Phil Pappas
Tackle

Ted Trubenback
Wingback

The injuries of Defensive Back Darrell Talavera, Linebacker Don Monus, and Quarterback Bob Ochoa struck a tremendous blow to the Varsity Team.

Mark Whipp
End

Bill Romanowitz
Right Guard

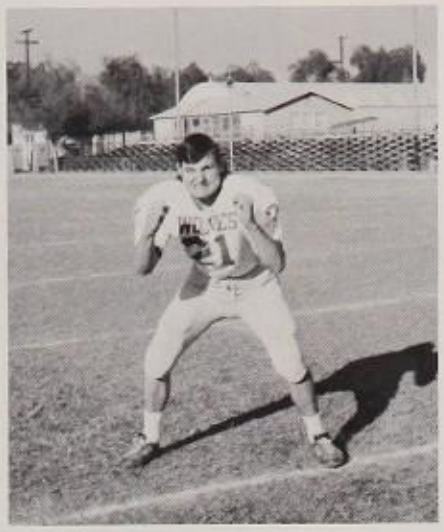


Bill Rotella
Left End

Marty Leko
Tailback

Wes Fraychineaud
Defensive Halfback

Roy Viveros
Defensive Halfback



John Massaro
Monster Man

Dennis Hain
Defensive End

The fine Varsity coaches for the 1972 season were Len Orteg and Al Gaber.

Marc Brown
Safety

John Jesson
End, Punter

John Stine
Quarterback

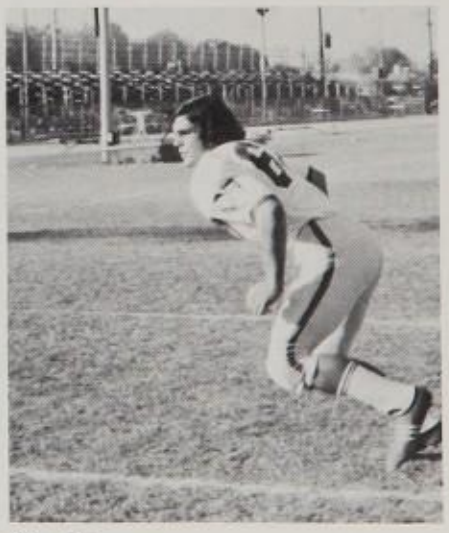
John Preston
Center

Danny Arnold
Defensive Tackle

Ken Vanderburg
Kicker

Scott Shepley
End

Elliot Bland
Wingback



Tim Finnegan
Right Guard

Cheri Dubey is escorted to be crowned third runner-up.

Homecoming Queen Donna Valencia radiates her happiness to onlookers.

1972 HOMECOMING SEMI-FINALISTS

FIRST ROW: Leslie Hamilton, Nicole Bush, Melissa Graham, Maureen Baun, Cheri Dubey, Pamela Saden, Kim McNally. SECOND ROW: Anne Loukas, Coral Shore, Michele Benzamin, Jane Ocheltree, Laura Casas, Donna Valencia, Debbie Demaray, Connie Aranda.

Her Majesty Donna Valencia Reigns Over the 1972 Homecoming Ceremonies

Donna Valencia, from seventy-five other senior girls, was chosen as Homecoming Queen of 1972. The Homecoming football game was held on Friday, October 27, 1972, after the Van Nuys Bee Team scored a smashing victory over Birmingham. Donna was crowned prior to the Varsity game by Pat Loukas, Van Nuys High School's reigning 1971 Homecoming Queen. The Varsity team scored a tremendous victory over Birmingham. Following the game, a dance and alumni dessert were held.

Mike Silver escorts princess Coral Shore to the crowning.

1972 HOMECOMING FINALISTS

FIRST ROW: Cherie Dubey, Coral Shore, Laura Casas. SECOND ROW: Michelle Benzamin, Donna Valencia.

BEE FOOTBALL SCORES

VAN NUYS		
0	Reseda	13
0	Palisades	6
0	Dorsey	12
27	San Fernando	7
0	Monroe	18
41	Birmingham	0
7	Poly	7
7	Granada Hills	6

Scott Duncan and Jamie Blanchette bring down a Dolphin.

BEE FOOTBALL TEAM

Due to a few early injuries, the Wolfpups got off to a very slow start in the pre-season games. But they quickly put their act together and kept it that way right to the last game, which was a fighting finish victory over Granada Hills, and took third in the league. The Van Nuys Defense was probably the best in the league. Some of the people who made it so were All-Leaguers Scot Duncan, Alan Chec, Blake Gurunion, and John Mattassa, and Nick Russo. On the offensive side, overall scorer and All-League Flanker Mike Elster, Ed Acosta, and Harry Adams were usually on the receiving end of Tom Blizzard's passes. Leading the ground attack was All-League Fullback Kirk Fyson, whose efforts in blocking and ball carrying made the offense move. The real key to the offense's success lay in the line. Tackles Ernie Brigham and Mitch Jaffuel working with Guards Scott Tucker and Mark Zema and Center Mike Dorando picked apart defense after defense to make the rush possible.

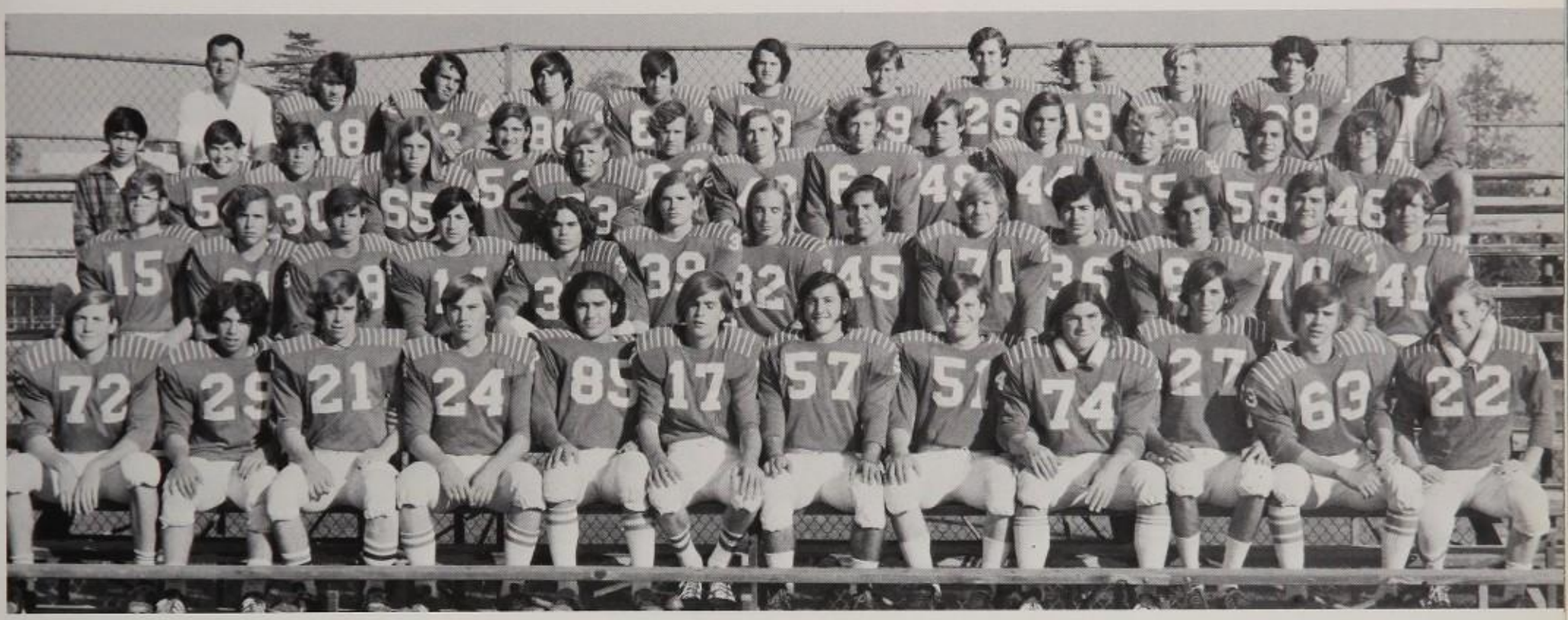
Tom Blizzard gets set to throw while Karl Eklund and Kirk Fyson give him pass protection during the Birmingham game.

In the Birringham game, Right Tackle Mitch Jaffuel looks on as Halfback Niel Singer fights off a tackle.

As Halfback Paul Bowen locates a hole in the Birmingham defense, his progress is watched by Right Guard Mark Zema and Flanker Mike Elster.

The progress of this Brave is hampered by John Mattassa and Steve Dunaetz.

Alan Cech adds to his defensive points.



BEE FOOTBALL TEAM

FIRST ROW: E. Brigham, H. Adams, K. Eklund, K. Fyson, E. Acosta, T. Blizzard, M. Zema, M. Dorando, M. Jaffuel, M. Elster, S. Tucker, P. Bowen. SECOND ROW: B. Sutton, B. Brown, F. Richey, T. Guevara, B. Gurunian, G. Rowland, S. Duncan, J. Mattassa, J. Holtfreter, J. Jamgotchian, N. Russo, J. Blanchette, A. Cech. THIRD ROW: R. Luna, D. Felberin, D. Bauer, M. Manderschied, T. Valencia, R. Harrison, S. Batliner, B. Hunt, J. Giroud, W. Whittlesey, R. Brown, D. Turk, R. Turk. FOURTH ROW: Coach Tony Magnante, C. Vaccaro, C. Zacuto, P. Trock, D. Ferdman, S. Dunaetz, R. Monus, N. Singer, C. Frederickson, J. Kite, A. Fraire, Coach Jack Vogt.

This Brave makes a futile attempt against Karl Eklund's strong rush.

Wolfpups are led onto the field by Jamie Blanchette, Scott Duncan, and Mike Dorando after halftime.

LOUIS HERNANDEZ
Head Yell Leader

WINTER BEE CHEERLEADERS
FIRST ROW: Robin Gepner, Sandy Manly. SECOND ROW: Coleen Stenland, Kris Sheets.

WINTER VARSITY CHEERLEADERS
FIRST ROW: Danelle Connely, Kathie Albertson. SECOND ROW: Mark Pekuri, Steve Lively, Steven Goodman, Richard Jimenez, Louis Hernandez. THIRD ROW: Leslie Cohen, JoAnne Alter, Linda Sharpe.

JOANNE ALTER
Head Song Leader

STEVE GOODMAN
Head Yell Leader

SUMMER VARSITY CHEERLEADERS

FIRST ROW: Kathie Albertson, Steve Goodman, Kathie Nassany. SECOND ROW: Tricia Welbourne, Danelle Connelly, Kris Sheets.

SUMMER BEE CHEERLEADERS

Rene Boone, Cindy Ayon, Judy Tuliano, Sandy Buskett.

DANELLE CONNELLY
Head Song Leader

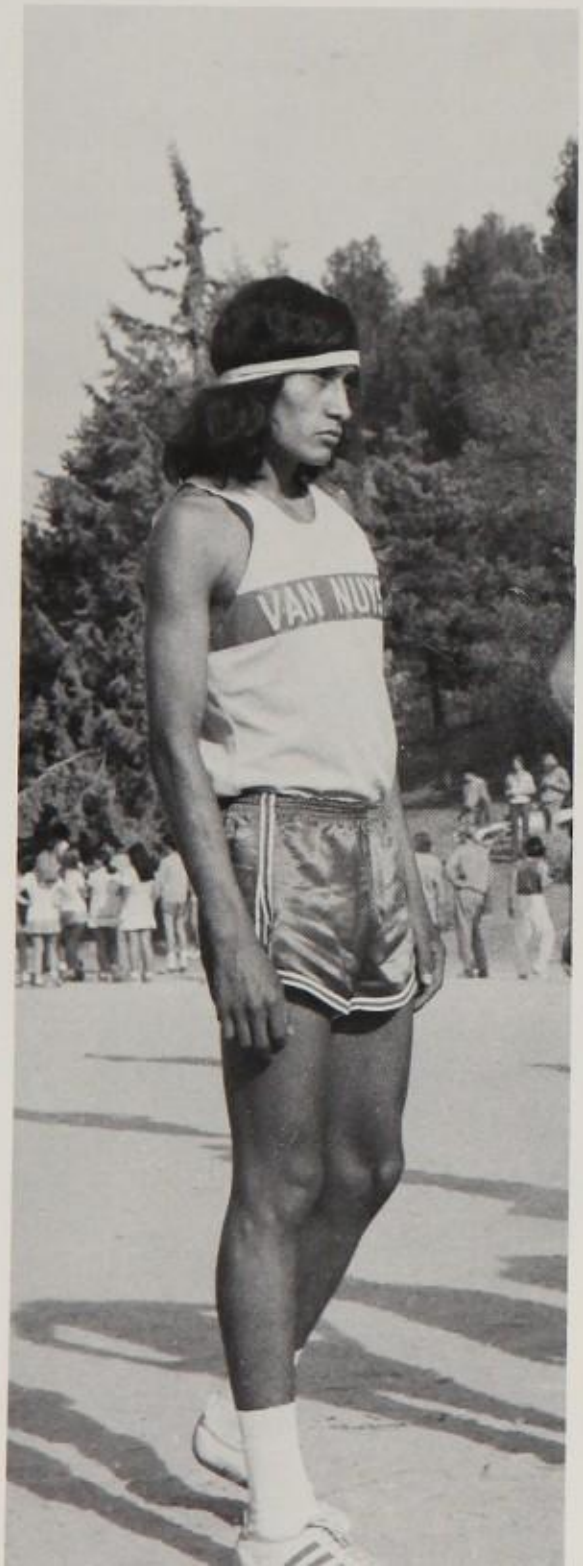
Cross Country Teams Run Over The Hill, Through The Woods — And Then Some

Frank Asman showed his fine coaching ability again this year, leading the Varsity team into second place in the city. The Varsity harriers were led by eleventh grader Gerardo Canchola and senior Jim Whitmore. The Junior Varsity team finished third in the city, headed by team captain Judd Figatner.

The tenth grade Cross Country team had two very promising runners in Dave Rowe and Randy Krueger. The tenth grade team finished in fifth place.

VARSITY CROSS COUNTRY TEAM
FIRST ROW: G. Bales, M. Lavine, B. Sherry. SECOND ROW: Mgr. B. Barge, Mgr. B. Dugger, J. Whitmore, J. Madvig, G. Canchola, Coach Frank Asman.

Gerardo Canchola is captured in a moment of deep thought before one of his countless victories.



Glen Bales finishes first again, leaving Canoga in the dust.

Practicing his stride, John Madvig warms up for a race.

Dave Rowe makes sure he keeps well ahead of his opponents.

Flashing the sign of victory, John Gardines sprints towards the finish line.

Jeff Taylor proves he is faster than the human eye can follow.

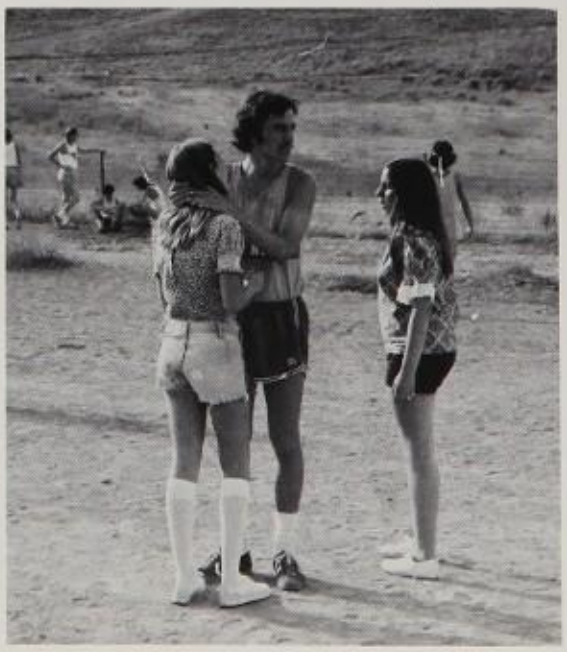
JUNIOR VARSITY TEAM

FIRST ROW: J. Figatner, D. Scott, J. Hudson. SECOND ROW: Mgr. B. Barge, C. Testa, D. Whitebirch, J. Cardines, Mgr. B. Dugger.

TENTH GRADE TEAM

FIRST ROW: M. Wagner, T. Virchu. SECOND ROW: R. Beaty, D. Rowe, R. Krueger, B. Timson.

Dan Scott is a winner on the track, and off.



Varsity Takes League Title

The Varsity Basketball team of 1972-73 was probably the best in the history of Van Nuys High School. Their league record of 10-0 was the first perfect season of any team at Van Nuys since 1947. One of the major reasons for this success was players like Gavin Smith, Doug Anderson, Andy Cohen, Russel Peterson, Lee Schreiber, Mark Hungness and Matt Klain. Probably the outstanding player of the team and of the entire league was Gavin Smith.

Matt Klain hastens the shot of opponent, while the rest of the team groups together underneath the basket.

Matt Kalin finds himself cornered in the Jefferson game.

Gavin Smith drives in past a Notre Dame player.

Notre Dame students and players watch helplessly as Gavin Smith prepares to put two more points on the scoreboard for Van Nuys.

Matt Klain stands ready to pass while teammates get open.

1972-73 VARSITY BASKETBALL TEAM

FIRST ROW: M. Klain, R. Peterson, A. Cohen, H. Fink. SECOND ROW: Coach Burt Golden, L. Schreiber, D. Anderson, M. Hungness, G. Smith, D. Skane, J. McLain.

Howard Fink, Russel Peterson, and Lee Schreiber administer some defense to this Knight in the game against Notre Dame.

VARSITY BASKETBALL SCORES

VAN NUYS	OPPONENT	
58	Grant	53
82	El Camino	73
77	Jefferson	94
57	Notre Dame	52
84	San Fernando	50
73	Monroe	47
62	Birmingham	45
77	Poly	54
40	Granada Hills	29
84	San Fernando	61
85	Monroe	62
67	Birmingham	39
42	Poly	35
61	Granada Hills	43

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76	El Camino	64
41	Dorsey	58

Howard Fink brings the ball in at halfcourt.

JV's Start Well, Then Falter

The Mid-Valley League season proved to be a rough one for the Junior Varsity Basketball Team, coached by Mr. Burt Golden. Although they won the first four games of the season against El Camino, Jefferson, Notre Dame, and San Fernando, they were not able to win another game except against Birmingham. For the season they posted a 5-8 win-loss record.

Preparing to shoot, Fernando Gaudy eludes one of the defenders at a home game.

Jumping over fallen defender, Russel Peterson

Russel Peterson makes a great steal during a big game.

Dribbling down court towards the basket, Paul Branum gets past the opponent.

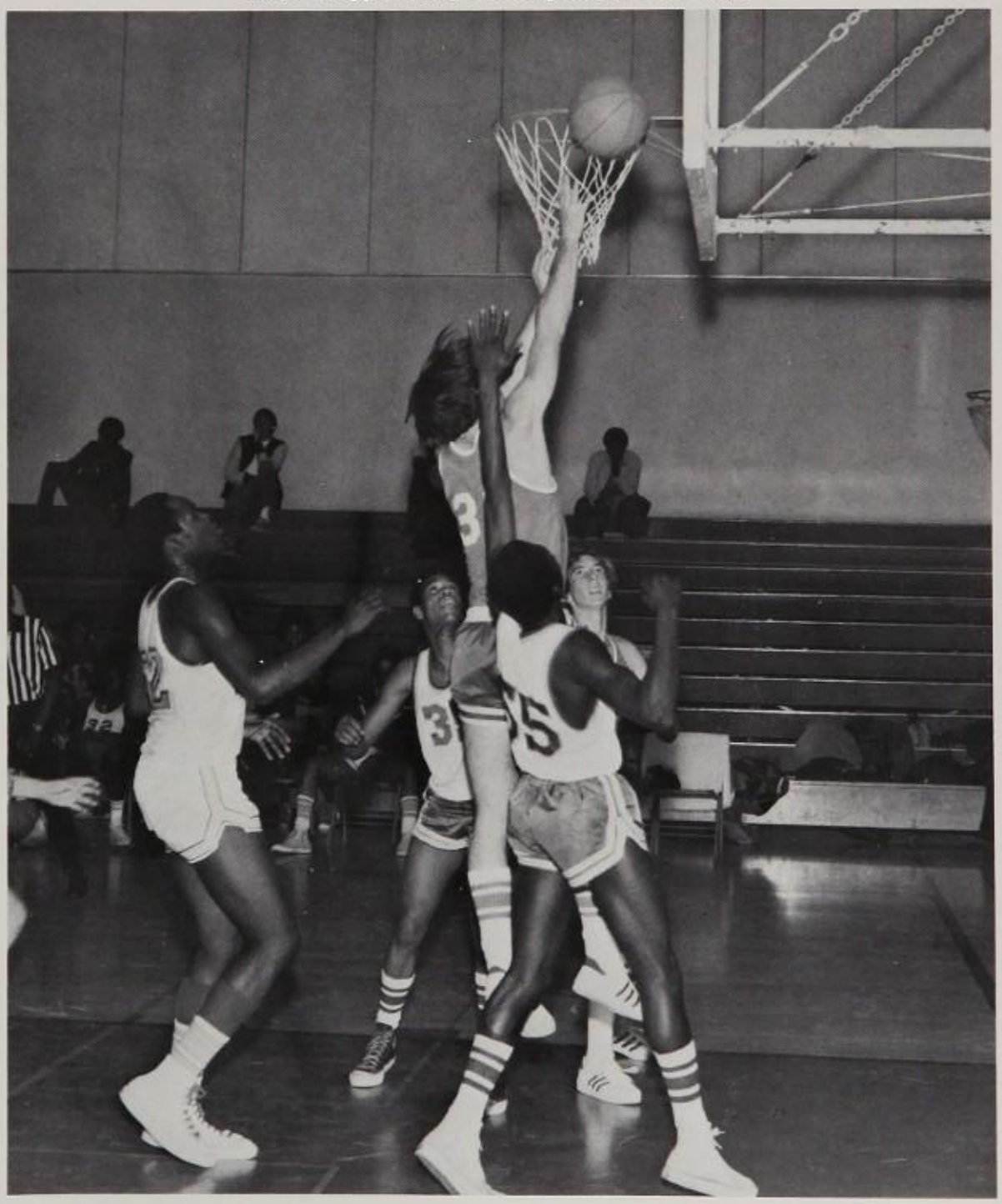
makes the shot despite the interference.

Driving in for the lay-up, Van Nuys beats the defense.

JUNIOR VARSITY BASKETBALL TEAM

FIRST ROW: P. Branum, B. Rosen, B. Tesler, M. Young, T. Zinman. SECOND ROW: Coach Burt Golden, M. Strickland, F. Gaudy, B. Carlson, R. Tabarez, S. Shepley, R. Whipp, J. Stine.

Ralph Whipp scores two more points for Van Nuys.



Injuries Hamper Play Of Bee Quintet

The Bee Basketball team had a very disappointing season with only one victory, which occurred in pre-season action. This lack of success was due mainly to injuries to several starting players. But, some of the outstanding players, when they were on the court, were Wes Fraychineaud, Jim Bell, Dan Gelinas, Frank Piccula, Mike Elster, and Dave Brink.

BEE BASKETBALL SCORES

VAN NUYS	OPPONENT
46	Grant 59
46	El Camino 60
55	Jefferson 67
48	Notre Dame 35
51	San Fernando 52
54	Monroe 58
55	Birmingham 43
50	Poly 65
43	Granada Hills 56
46	San Fernando 51
41	Monroe 51
61	Birmingham 64
51	Poly 61
56	Granada Hills 63

Mike Elster watches from the key as Dan Gelinas moves in to shoot.

Frank Piccula manages to get the shot off before it is blocked by opponent.

Weaving his way through hazardous territory, Frank Piccula takes the ball downcourt.

BEE BASKETBALL TEAM

FIRST ROW: J. Murphy, L. Durgin, F. Piccula, H. Kasangin. SECOND ROW: Coach Morton Fletcher, J. Bell, M. Elster, J. King, D. Brink.

Cee Team Captures Second Place

CEE BASKETBALL SCORES

VAN NUYS	OPPONENT
54	Grant 40
54	El Camino 60
57	Jefferson 65
51	Notre Dame 37
67	San Fernando 47
70	Monroe 50
61	Birmingham 57
43	Poly 72
54	Granada Hills 46
64	San Fernando 60
60	Monroe 47
47	Birmingham 58
49	Poly 60
71	Granada Hills 63

The Cee Basketball Team experienced a good season this year, in which they captured second place in their league. One of their strategies, which was most effective, was a full court press, which kept their opponent's momentum to a minimum in most of their games. Outstanding Cee players included Howard Seligman, Juan Campos, Dave Carranza, Jose Ramirez, Larry Epstein and Steve Sieger.

Larry Epstein takes a shot over opponent's head.

Despite the menacing presence of opponent, David Carranza continues downcourt.

In the toss-up is Howard Seligman.

CEE BASKETBALL TEAM

FIRST ROW: H. Seligman, J. Campos, D. Carranza, R. Ramirez, L. Epstein. SECOND ROW: S. Sepian, J. Ankor. B. Kern, S. Sieger, P. Freidman, J. Sams.

Varsity Makes Van Nuys A Tough Competitor in Track

This year's Varsity Track Team could probably be ranked as one of the better in the league. And no wonder, with distance runners like Gerardo Canchola, John Hudson, Stu Lishan, and John Madvig, first place was not uncommon. In sprints and hurdles, the leading men were Marty Leko, Ted Trubenback, Chris Nettles, Elliott Bland, and Al Mazal. In the high and long jumps, there was Gavin Smith and David Brink. The top man in the pole vault was Ted Beder and in the shot put we had Danny Arnold, Jim Gutt, and Mark Whipp.

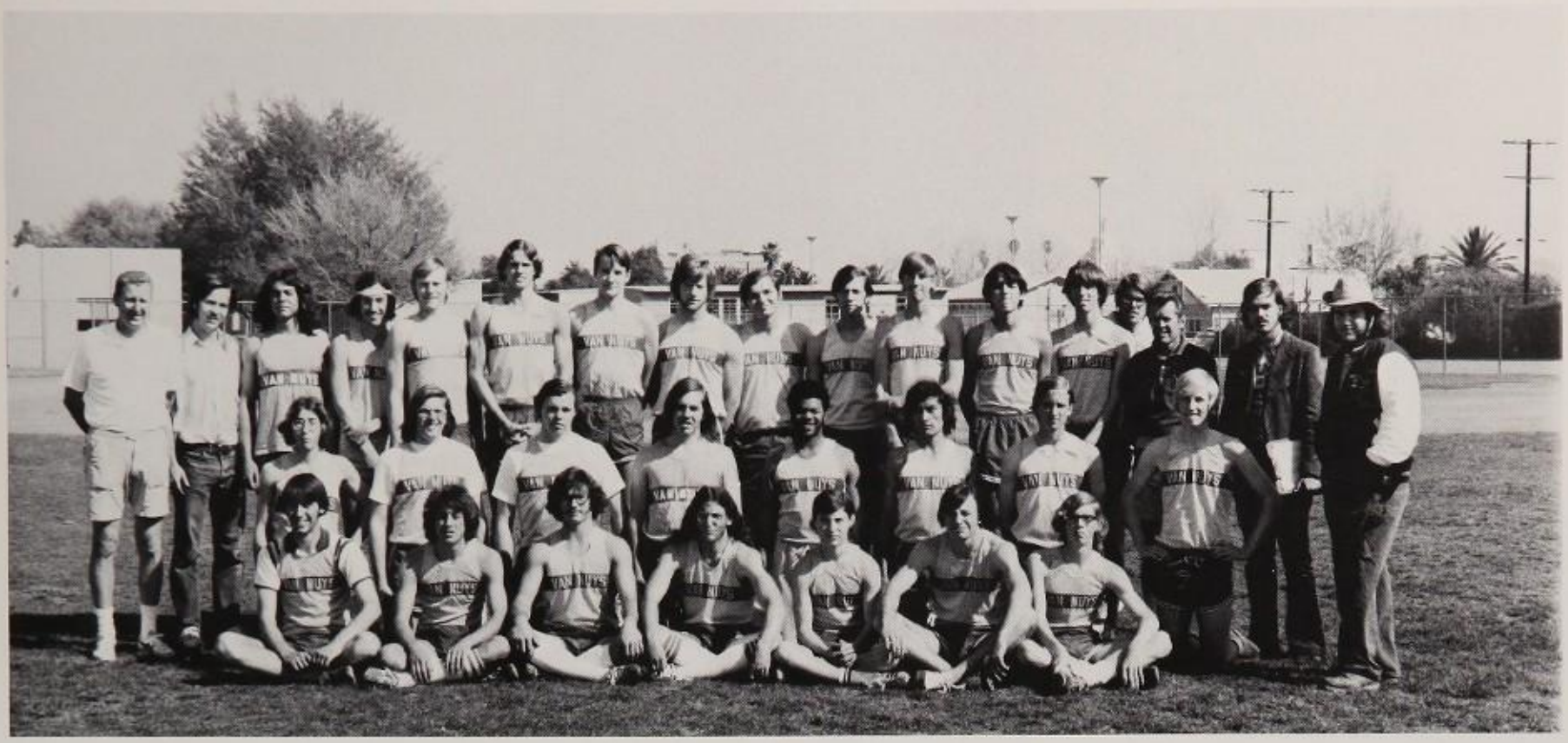
Danny Arnold excels in the shot put.

Sailing over in the high jump is David Brink.

In the pole vault, Ted Beder springs skyward.

John Hudson takes first in the 880.

In the 440 relay, Marty Leko takes the last stride for first.



VARSITY TRACK TEAM

FIRST ROW: C. Nettels, T. Trubenback, M. Leko, J. Epstein, T. Beder, P. Branam, J. Madvig. SECOND ROW: S. Lishan, P. O'Grady, J. Gutt, A. Nielsen, E. Bland, G. Canchola, J. Whitmore, J. Hudson. THIRD ROW: Coach Frank Asman, B. Barge, A. Mazal, D. Scott, J. MacLean, G. Smith, R. Carlson, D. Arnold, J. Van Diepeh, M. Whipp, R. Whipp, R. Tabarez, D. Brink, P. Curran, Coach John Godfrey, B. Dugger, L. Koukos.

Ted Trubenback makes an easy win in the 100.

In the long jump is Dave Brink.

In the two mile relay, Gerardo Canchola takes a first for Van Nuys.

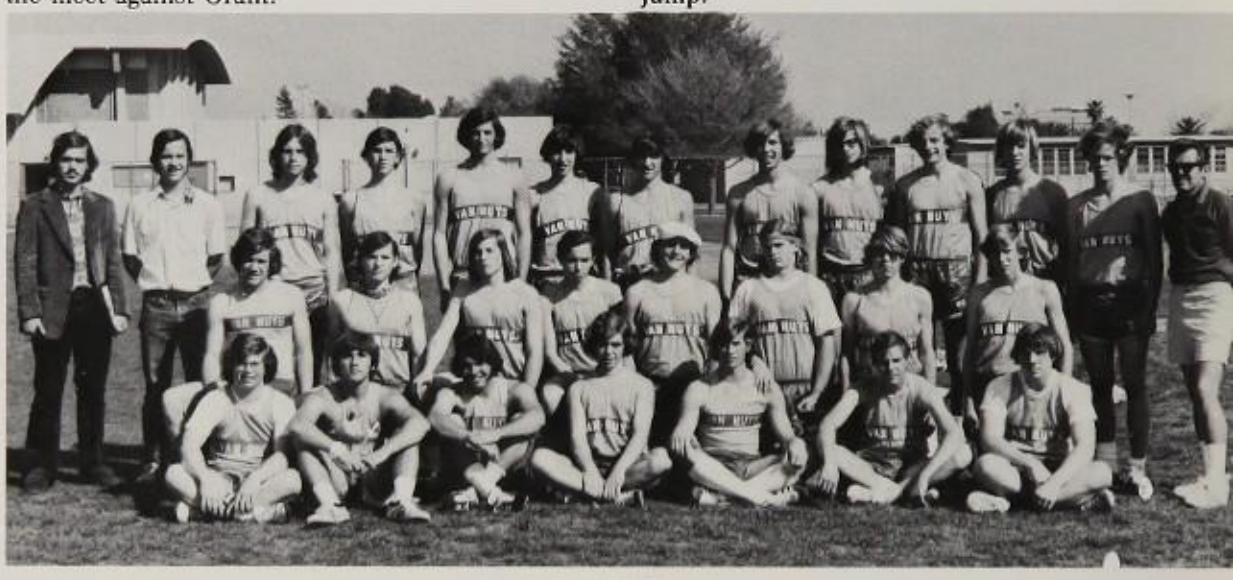
Bee Track Team

This year the Bee Track Team had a very satisfying season. With sprinters like Craig Zacuto, Bob Lupoli, Wes Fraychineaud and hurdlers like Karl Eklund, first place after first place became more and more common. In the shot put, there were two of the better putters in the league, Ernie Brigham and Godfrey Rowland.

Godfrey Rowland prepares to put the shot in the meet against Grant.

Suspended in air is Bob Brown in the long jump.

Karl Eklund takes the lead in the high hurdles.



BEE TRACK TEAM

FIRST ROW: M. Rosen, J. Taylor, C. Zacuto, K. Eklund, W. Fraychineaud, D. Blackwill, J. Holtfreter. SECOND ROW: J. Schwartz, S. Moran, M. O'Grady, M. Levine, E. Brigham, G. Rowland, R. Edelman, D. Whitebirch. THIRD ROW: B. Dugger, B. Barge, D. Bauer, M. Dellidio, M. Elster, H. Fink, B. Rosen, A. Cech, B. Cousins, P. Martini, R. Beaty, T. Pope, Coach John Godfrey.

In the pole vault is Randy Beaty.

In the 440 relay, Bob Lupoli hands off the baton to Craig Zacuto.

CEE TRACK TEAM

FIRST ROW: R. Dunfield, R. Brown, M. Weber, D. Higgins, M. Rosenfeld, F. Richey, T. Guevara, P. Bowen, R. Sherry, D. Ferdman. SECOND ROW: R. Dugger, B. Barge, S. Raphael, J. Anker, R. Harrison, B. Kern, B. Sutton, D. Rowe, R. Krueger, D. Wagner, G. Bales, Coach John Godfrey.

CEE TRACK TEAM

Made up largely of sophomores, the CEE team showed such teamwork and strong desire to win that their success in the season was inevitable. Heading the sprints and hurdles throughout the season were men like Bill Sutton, Ferrel Richey, Tony Guevara, and Max Rosenfeld. Glenn Bales and Bob Sherry competed in the distance events.

Bob Sherry drifts in for a first in the 660.

In the 1320, Glenn Bales takes a first for Van Nuys.

In the 440 relay, Maxwell Rosenfeld makes the handoff to Tony Guevara.

Bill Sutton, Ferrel Richey, and Tony Guevara make it a one, two, three sweep in the 100.

Rick Brown puts the shot.

Gymnasts Show Great Competition, Spirit

The Gymnastics Team, coached by Mr. Jack Vogt, looked good through Mid-Valley League competition. Twelfth grader Richard Jimenez was the outstanding gymnast on the team. Other top performers were Whitney Coe on the rings and Mike Bogoratt on the longhorse. Juniors Jim Cagle, Ben Corr, Brian Bunch, and Isidro Martinez were seen as fine point scorers according to the early season predictions of Coach Vogt.

Whitney Coe displays good concentration while on the rings.

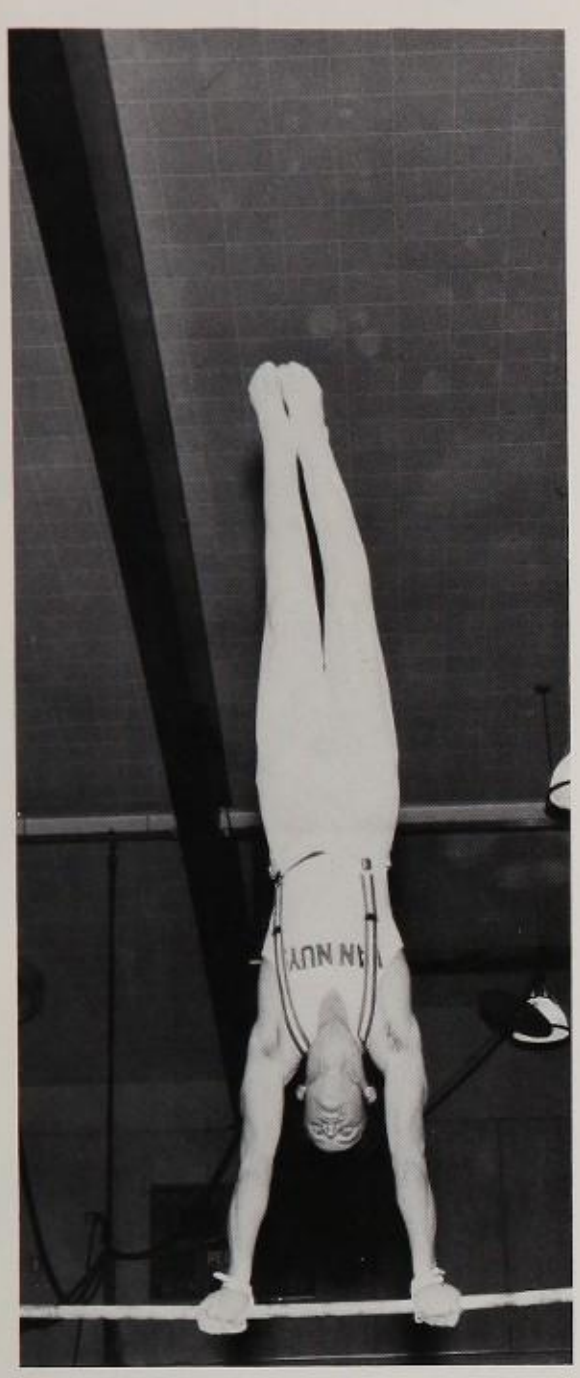
Preparing for the meet, Brian Winnich works to perfect his form.

Dean Lubell exhibits excellence on the horizontal bar.

On the sidehorse Jim Cagle demonstrates his great ability.

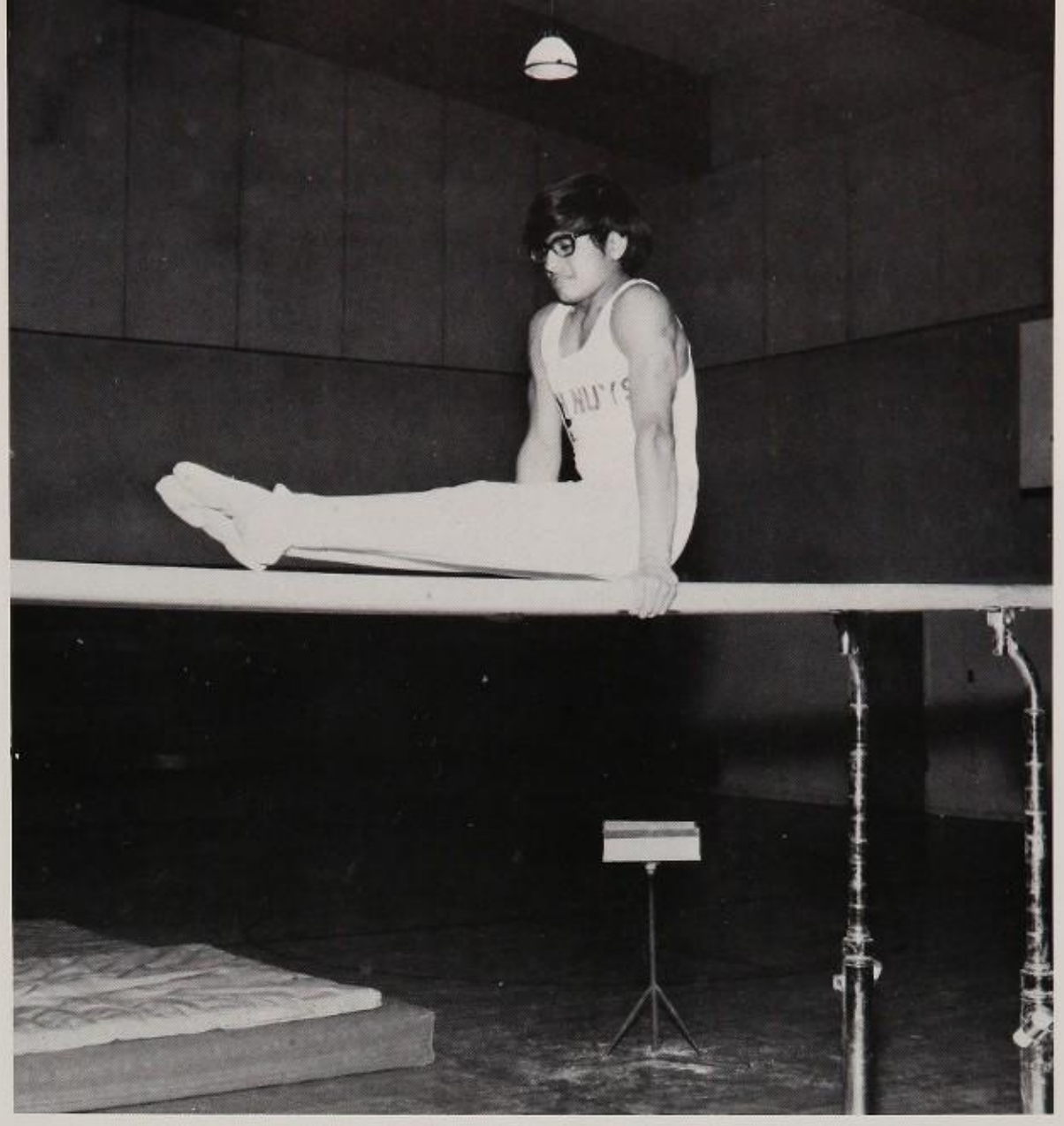
GYMNASTICS TEAM

FIRST ROW: D. Moye, B. Bunch, R. Cagle, R. Jimenez, J. Cagle, B. Corr, I. Martinez, W. Coe. SECOND ROW: S. De Santiago, T. Keep, J. Laird, M. Cooper, P. Schrieber, N. Lehr, M. Jeffery. THIRD ROW: G. Cleoni, B. Winnich, A. San Davold, S. Silver, M. Dickson, C. Zellman, D. Lubell, Mr. Jack Vogt.



Ben Corr stretches out on the bar during practice.

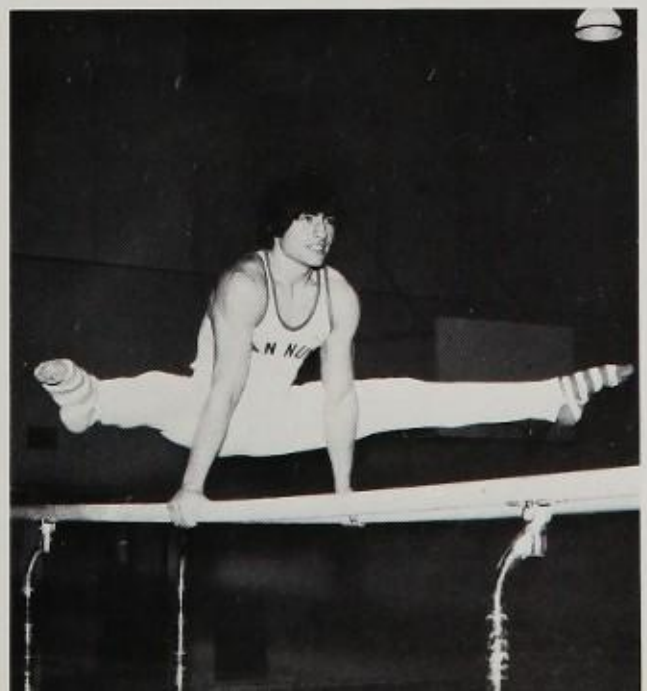
Ron Cagle exhibits great form during big meet.



Concentrating while performing on the parallel bars is Isidro Martinez.

Brian Bunch displays his perfected form doing his stretch free exercises.

Richard Jimenez shows his great agility on the parallel bars.



Soccer Joins Sports Slate

This sport, which has dominated for so long in Latin American and European countries and is fast becoming popular in the United States, is now a recognized sport at Van Nuys High School. This enables team members to become eligible for school letter awards. This year the team went through tough competition, coming out with a 2-2-1 league record, taking third place. Overall scorer of the team was Armando Avila. Other outstanding players of the team included Al Mazal, Amador Fraire, and Dennis Cordova.

Team Captain Al Mazal closes in to take the offensive in the game against Granada Hills.

Both teams converge on the ball.

Amador Fraire watches as Al Mazal fakes out a Scot.

VAN NUYS SOCCER TEAM

FIRST ROW: R. Robles, A. Pris, C. Quezada, J. Miranda, S. Lauharatanahirum, F. DeLaTorre, J. Campos, A. Fraire, A. Avila, J. Ramirez, S. Castro, B. Dunfield, J. Castro, F. Ennabe. SECOND ROW: H. Herrnfeld, D. Cordova, P. Crocco, J. SanMartin, J. Alfaro, A. Mazal, E. Barragan, J. Shaffer, A. Lobefaro, S. Gonzalez, Coaches Steve Smith and Robert Whitehead.

SOCCER TEAM SCOREBOARD

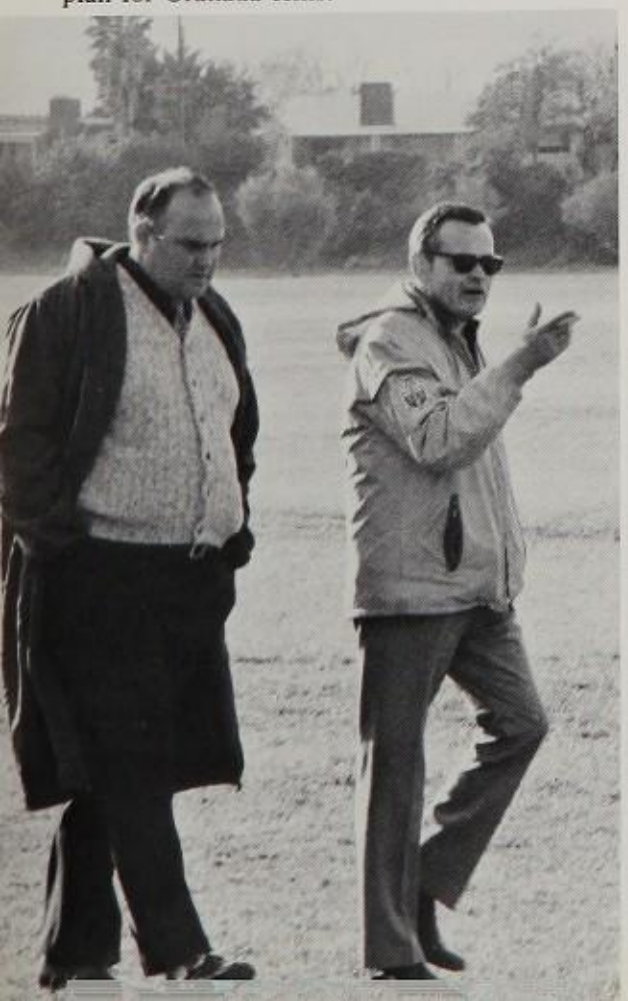
VAN NUYS	OPPONENT
3	San Fernando 0
1	Taft 2
1	Granada Hills 2
1	San Fernando 1
2	Granada Hills 0
2	San Fernando 4
2	Taft 1

Juan Alfaro over-runs the ball, as the defender manages to cover it.

Armando Avila demonstrates scissors kick.

Dennis Cordova (background) watches as Amador Fraire prepares to put Van Nuys on the scoreboard.

Coaches Smith and Whitehead discuss game plan for Granada Hills.



Coach Al Gaber gives some tips to Varsity swimmers during practice session.

Varsity Swim Team Plunges Through Competition

Coached by Al Gaber, the Varsity Swim Team for the first time in three seasons was not undermanned. With ten members this year, the Varsity Swim Team was loaded with talent. Doug Kling, Andy Harmon, and Mike Meisser were only a few of the outstanding swimmers of the season. Some of the returning students on the team were Dave Weinberg, Kim Sallman, and Tom Sparks. The swim team worked diligently to drown out some of last year's mistakes.

VARSITY SWIM TEAM

FIRST ROW: K. Sallman, D. Weinberg, A. Harmon, M. Meisser, D. Kling, J. Grimm (Mgr.). SECOND ROW: S. Weinstein, L. Broderick, C. Bode, T. Sparks, J. Ehrharte.

Mike Meisser, Andy Harmon, and Doug Kling take a break before a big match.

Varsity swimmers take time off during practice.

Bee, Cee Swim Teams Meet Rough Competition

With the fine coaching of Mr. Al Gaber, and some good swimming talent the Bee and Cee swim teams looked good through Mid-Valley League competition this season. The two teams stayed afloat with the help of returning students, Wales Benham, and Ken Shields. Early in the season Coach Al Gaber predicted a very promising season for both of the teams.

BEE SWIM TEAM

FIRST ROW: A. Nazar, K. Shields, W. Benham, P. Trock. SECOND ROW: R. Kern, J. Robinson, J. Thomson, R. Zimmerman.

Cee swimmers practice breast stroke before a big match.

Taking a few laps during practice are Wales Benham, Ken Shields, and Pat Trock.

Bee team gets ready to plunge into the water for another crucial race.

CEE SWIM TEAM

FIRST ROW: A. Sayer, R. Illis, R. Roseman, F. Lam, T. Hasset, M. Van Horn, P. Walker. SECOND ROW: R. Garcia, D. Maggett, R. Schlesinger, J. Svenson, L. Silberg, R. Rodriguez, K. Thompson.

Getting ready for the beginning of the race, Cee swimmers await the gun.

Buck's Racketeers Ace Out Competition

Coached by Mr. Jim Buck, the Tennis Team came through strongly despite tough competition. Leading the pack were returning lettermen Doug Anderson and Rich Van Patton. Newcoming wolves were tenth graders Bob Cohen and Vince Van Patton. Early in the season Coach Buck predicted "a great season with this team. They looked very strong in practice, and we should be in the top five at the finish of the season." The team hoped to improve over last year's season.

Making a good return, Ed Brigham hits the ball as doubles partner Doug Anderson awaits opponent's volley.

Rick Brown lunges for the ball during a big singles match.

JIM BUCK
Coach

Rich Van Patton powers in a serve.

VARSITY TENNIS TEAM
FIRST ROW: B. Cohen, J. Zwass, V. Van Patton, A. Weissman, R. Brown, L. Okunoff. SECOND ROW: E. Brigham, T. Finnigan, Doug Anderson, R. Van Patton, H. Adams.

Scoring another point towards the end of the game is Rich Van Patton, as doubles partner Vince Van Patton looks on.

Vince Van Patton displays his powerful backhand shot.

Bob Cohen follows through on his return shot.

JUNIOR VARSITY TENNIS TEAM
FIRST ROW: N. Raben, G. Friedman. SECOND ROW: I. Ehrlich, D. Loon, R. Wortsman, F. Blum, D. Wallit, B. Kitchen.

During practice Larry Okunoff gets the ball past Aaron Weissman for another point.

Horsehiders Look Forward To Prosperous Season

A winning season was the goal of the Varsity Baseball Team, coached by Mr. Tony Magnante. Returning lettermen this year were Don Monus, Larry Manship, Bob Ochoa, and Matt Klain. The team met battling competition, but came through in good form. Additions to the team this year were Ken Blizzard, Brad Heinze, Clete Keith, Brian Heinze, and Brian Tessler. According to Coach Magnante's early prediction the team expected to finish in the upper division.

First basemen Brad Heinze and Brendan Leddy take some practice before a game.

Catcher Don Monus takes brief break during practice.

Varsity pitchers Ken Blizzard, Bob Ochoa, Larry Manship, Mitch Garber, and Brian Tessler warm up for the big game.

VARSITY BASEBALL

FIRST ROW: E. Acosta, B. Rotella, B. Ochoa, R. Viveros, P. Kramer, K. Fyson. SECOND ROW: B. Tessler, M. Strickland, D. Monus, C. Keith, S. Bolin, F. Newhause, Coach Tony Magnante. THIRD ROW: R. Bergman (Stats), K. Blizzard, B. Heinze, M. Garber, B. Heinze, B. Leddy, L. Manship, M. Klain, P. Lyons (Mgr.).

TONY MAGNANTE
Coach

Brian Heinze plants his feet and waits for the pitch.

Louiseville Sluggers are standard equipment on the Varsity Baseball Team.

Junior Varsity Meets Competition Head On

Under the coaching of Mr. Winston Tucker the Junior Varsity Baseball Team met tough competition in the Mid-Valley League this season. The team was well balanced and looked good in the pre-season games. It was mainly comprised of tenth graders such as pitchers Tom Blizzard, John Franke, Craig Harris, and John Stine. "We are fortunate enough to have strong pitching and good fielding this season," remarked Coach Tucker earlier in the season.

Junior Varsity pitcher John Stine warms up for big game.

Up at bat Gary Anderson waits for the pitch.

Bob Thum slides into third base before being tagged.

While Bill Whittelsey awaits throw from pitcher, runner makes dive for first base.

JUNIOR VARSITY BASEBALL

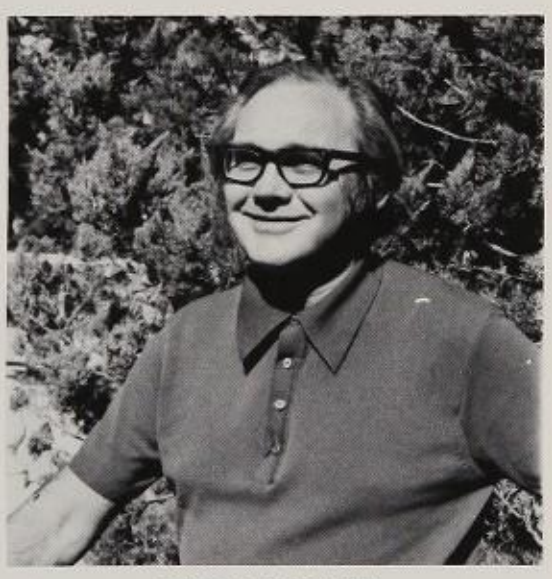
FIRST ROW: R. Thum, N. Russo, S. Davanso, R. Hunt, M. Jaffuel, D. Felpern, W. Whittelsey. SECOND ROW: R. Monus, J. Rand, D. Pomerance, A. Avila, M. Rosenfeld, G. Anderson, M. Young. THIRD ROW: Coach Winston Tucker, J. Stine, J. Franke, C. Patrick, C. Harris, M. Rosenthal (Mgr.), R. Winston (Mgr.).

Golfer's Slice Up Competition

Coached by Mr. Lyle Robinson, the golf team met with stiff competition but came through swinging. Best hopes for the team this year were senior Mark Pekuri, and juniors Craig Baingo and Jeff Short. Early in the season Coach Robinson said, "The golf team looks very good this year, and we have a good chance of winning first place in the league."
The golf team hoped to chip away some of last year's mistakes.

GOLF TEAM
FIRST ROW: M. Buckley, C. Baingo, H. McTernan, Coach Lyle Robinson. SECOND ROW: J. Short, T. Polakov, B. McGuirk, M. Pekuri.

Jeff Short bears down or the ball.



LYLE ROBINSON
Coach

Coach Lyle Robinson gives pointers to members of his golf team.

Mark Pekuri shows his swinging form.

GAA Quintets Take Third

Defending their league status, the Girls' "A" team again placed third. Following in the "A" team's footsteps, the "B" team also took third in their division.
Overall scorer for the "A" team was Cindy Anderson. Other Outstanding players for the "A" and "B" teams were Laura Hall, Lisa Davis, Terri Jones, and Lynn Ring.

VAN NUYS		OPPONENT	
"A" —	23	Marshall	46
"B" —	28		21
"A" —	0	Grant	2
"B" —	25		38
"A" —	34	No. Hollywood	29
"B" —	27		31
"A" —	49	Verdugo Hills	35
"B" —	25		16
"A" —	20	Poly	26
"B" —	20		18

GIRLS' "A" BASKETBALL TEAM
FIRST ROW: A. Denny, L. Hall, J. Maclean, C. Stenland.
SECOND ROW: L. Davis, C. Fotis, C. Anderson, K. Cooley, Miss Sarah Halowell.

Cindy Anderson takes a shot at halfcourt.

Helplessly watching is Teri Jones as Lisa Davis makes the lay-up.

GIRLS' "B" BASKETBALL TEAM
FIRST ROW: L. Ring, S. Ochoa, E. Johnson, T. Jones.
SECOND ROW: A. Fedor, R. Arpaia, J. Blankinship, Miss Sarah Halowell.

In the A vs. B game, Laura Hall dribbles downcourt, past Rose Arpaia.

EXCITING COURT ACTION SEEN

Vicki Brown makes a smashing return.

Coached by Mrs. Arlene Hauserman, the Girls' Tennis Team came up with a 2-3 win-loss record for the 1973 season. The first place singles player was Felice Kurtzman, and the first place doubles team was composed of Judy Gralla and Caryn Cohen. Named the most improved player was Theresa Barbarosa.

GIRLS' TENNIS SCORES

VAN NUYS	OPPONENTS	
4	Verdugo Hills	3
0	Marshall	7
2	North Hollywood	5
2	Grant	5
7	Poly	0

G.A.A. TENNIS TEAM
FIRST ROW: V. Brown, M. Graham, M. Taylor, L. McDermott. SECOND ROW: J. Gralla, F. Kurtzman, C. Cohen, M. Graham, K. Junge, T. Barbarosa.

Returning the ball to win the set in a big play-off game is Kathy Barkolas.

Melissa Graham makes a leaping bound for the ball in a crucial match.

Volleyballers Net Second Spot

VOLLEYBALL SCORES

V. N. "B"		Opponent	V. N. "A"	
2	1	Polly	0	2
2	1	Marshall	0	2
2	0	Grant	2	0
2	1	Verdugo Hills	1	2

The Volleyball Team, coached by Mrs. Sarah Halowell, had a good season. In Mid-Valley League competition they came in second place in the league standings. Although both Varsity and Bee teams were beaten in the City Semi-Finals, they put on a very good exhibition of volleyball.

Cheryl Fiala makes a great return during a big match.

VARSITY VOLLEYBALL TEAM
FIRST ROW: E. Johnson, S. Manly, K. Sabin. SECOND ROW: C. Fotis, C. Andersen, A. Loukas, C. Fiala.

Chris Fotis gets ready to spike the ball against the opponent's defense.

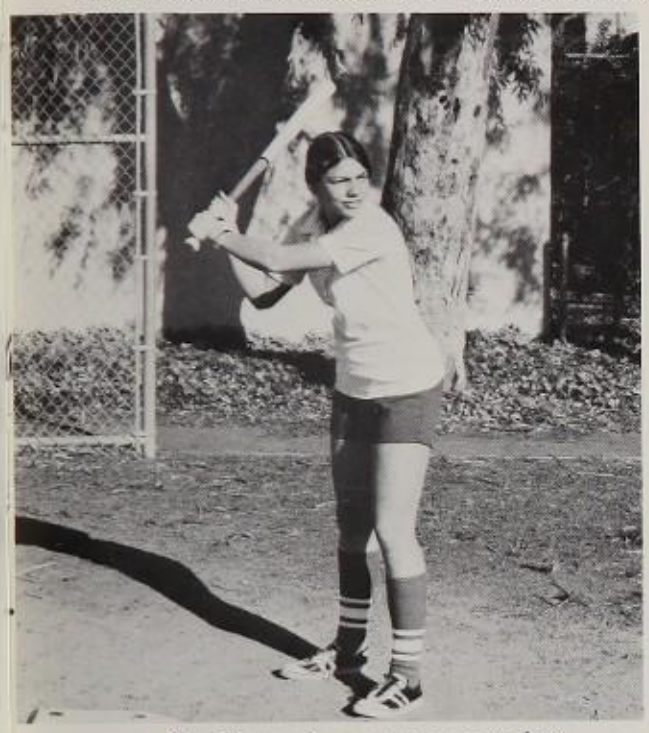
Debbie Demaray waits as Missy Jones sets it up.

BEE VOLLEYBALL TEAM
FIRST ROW: K. McNally, M. Jones, K. Parris, P. Maney. SECOND ROW: G. Mazur, S. Ochoa, J. MacLean, D. Demaray, L. Carnan.

VARSITY SOFTBALL TEAM
FIRST ROW: J. Mahoney, L. Hall, C. Stenland, D. Mula, L. Palmero, D. Muhlethaler. SECOND ROW: Coach Sarah Halowell, L. Davis, C. Fotis, J. MacLean, C. Andersen, T. Fowler, C. Fiala.

G.A.A. Softball Develops Great Interest, Support

This year because of increased interest a Bee Softball Team was formed. The Varsity and Bee teams consisted of many qualified girls who performed very skillfully. Returning Varsity players were Lisa Davis and Chris Fotis, participating in their third year, and Joyce Mahoney and Cheryl Fiala for their second year.



Van Nuys player comes up to bat.

BEE SOFTBALL TEAM
FIRST ROW: R. Arpaia, D. Sanderson, I. Perry, I. Friedman, E. Handler. SECOND ROW: C. Reyman, D. Denavich, A. Garbell, J. Blankinship, C. Rosenbloom, F. Kurtzman.

Lisa Davis flips the ball over to Diane Mula to tag out the opposing runner.

Rose Arpaia smashes a double during an important game.

G.A.A. Gymnasts Start Season Well

Battling through Mid-Valley League competition, the G.A.A. Gymnastics Team showed excellent form this season. All-around gymnasts Karen Frank, Tricia Welbourne, and Janine Williams were good point scorers. In the first meet against Taft they finished first and second in everything except tumbling.

Vicki Vidulich and Rene Boone exhibit excellent form while doing their free style excercises.

G.A.A. GYMNASTICS TEAM

FIRST ROW: K. Frank, K. Norton, S. Manly, R. Boone, V. Vidulich, J. Williams, T. Welbourne, B. Serlin, Mrs. Rose Steinhour.

Giving help to Janine Williams, Bobbi Serlin steadies her while on the single bar.

Vicki Vidulich helps teammate Rene Boone to perfect her form.

Showing good form, Sandy Manly and Tricia Welbourne practice for the next meet.

G.A.A. Expands In 1973

The Girls' Athletic Association offered girls a varied program of competitive and recreational sports this year. These sports included extra-mural basketball, tennis, gymnastics, volleyball, and softball. Other sports included in the program are archery, bowling, and badminton.

Kathy Cooley
G.A.A. PRESIDENT, WINTER '73

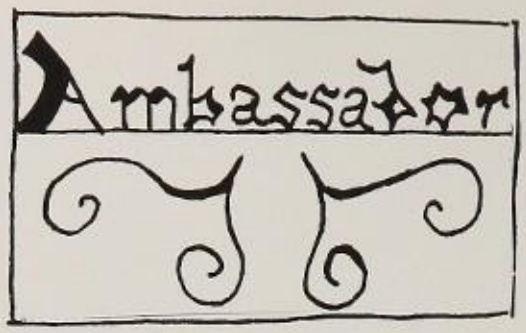
Arline Denny
G.A.A. PRESIDENT SUMMER '73

G.A.A. BOARD, WINTER '73
FIRST ROW: L. Davis, A. Mork, K. Cooley, M. Ochoa, A. Denny, D. Demaray. SECOND ROW: C. Fotis, C. Andersen, L. Palermo, S. See, C. Kay, M. Long.

LETTERGIRLS
FIRST ROW: M. Ochoa, C. Kay, I. Friedman, S. Lavin. SECOND ROW: A. Mork, J. Shahan, N. Warren, M. Vad. THIRD ROW: S. See, F. Kurtzman, B. Gould. FOURTH ROW: L. Hall, C. Fotis, L. Gibberman, C. Andersen, K. Cooley, S. Burrus.

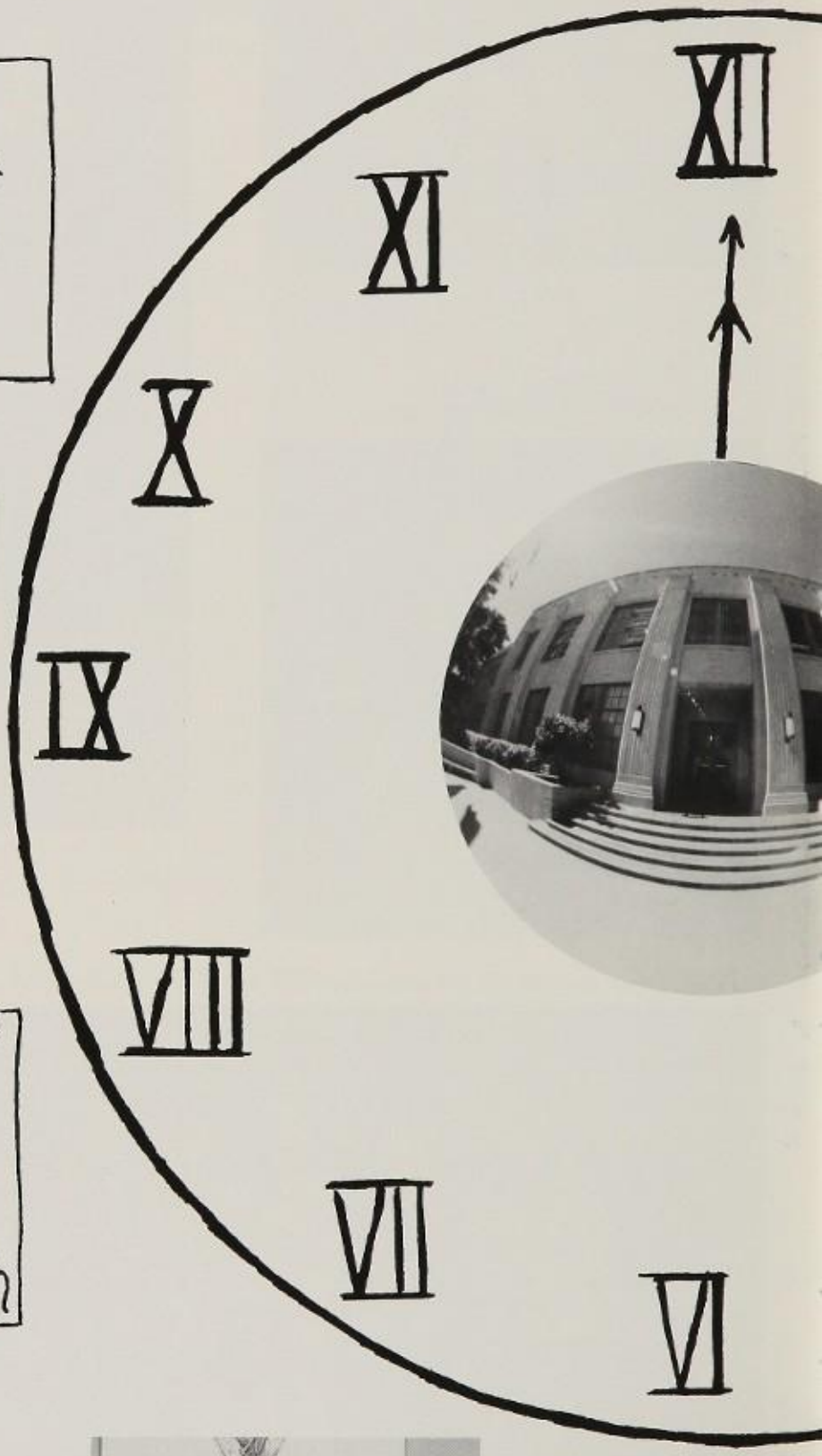
G.A.A. BOARD, SUMMER '73
FIRST ROW: L. Downer, L. Pfening, N. Warren, A. Denny, C. Fotis, C. Andersen. SECOND ROW: K. Subbotin, M. Long, C. Kay, S. See, A. Mork, K. Cooley, L. Gibberman, S. Burrus, S. Fink.

The highlight of the year was our Prom.



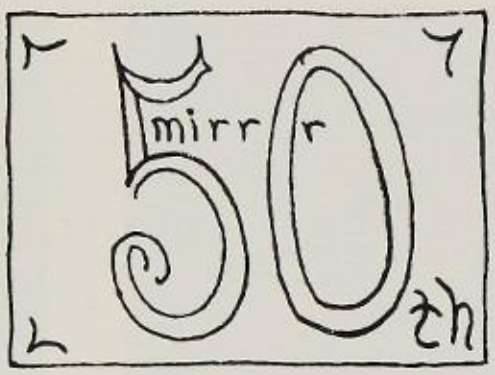
and finally our graduation

The class candlelight supper was held to honor seniors.



Play Production entertained the students by presenting three one-act plays.

We celebrated the 50th year of our school paper.



SUE BERKOWITZ
Editor

Once again, we hosted the Mid-Valley League Gymnastics Invitational.

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We started our year by joining clubs at club sign-ups.

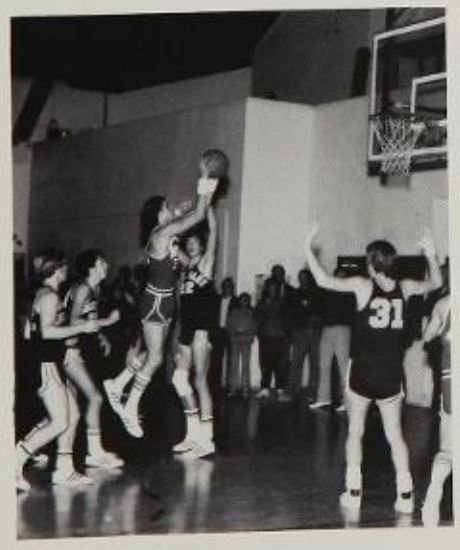
The dove was chosen as the Senior Class mascot.

Togetherness brought fun and excitement at our Senior Class Activity Day.

Royalty was presented at our second annual Homecoming.

TIME GOES BY very quickly and good things must end. Our past year at school has given us many events to enjoy and remember, but we now must say good-by to all of them. Also, the friendships we made are those to treasure and ones we will look back on in the years to come. Our time spent at Van Nuys High is something we all want to remember, and I feel the annual staff has captured the exciting moments for you. They worked untiringly to present to you the events of the past year, and I would like to thank them for their efforts. Also, special appreciation goes to Mr. Viga Hall, Yearbook Representative; Mr. Grant Lippert for his wonderful photographs; and Mr. George Bayha, advisor, who helped make this book what it is.
The sand in the hourglass has finally settled to the bottom and so we say . . .
Adios, Shalom, Good-by,
Au revoir and auf Wiedersehen.

Sue Berkowitz
Editor



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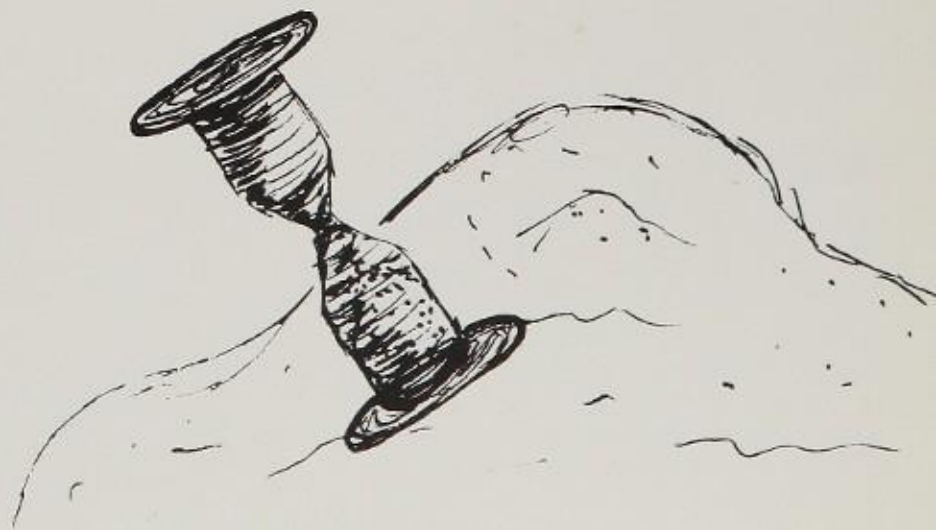

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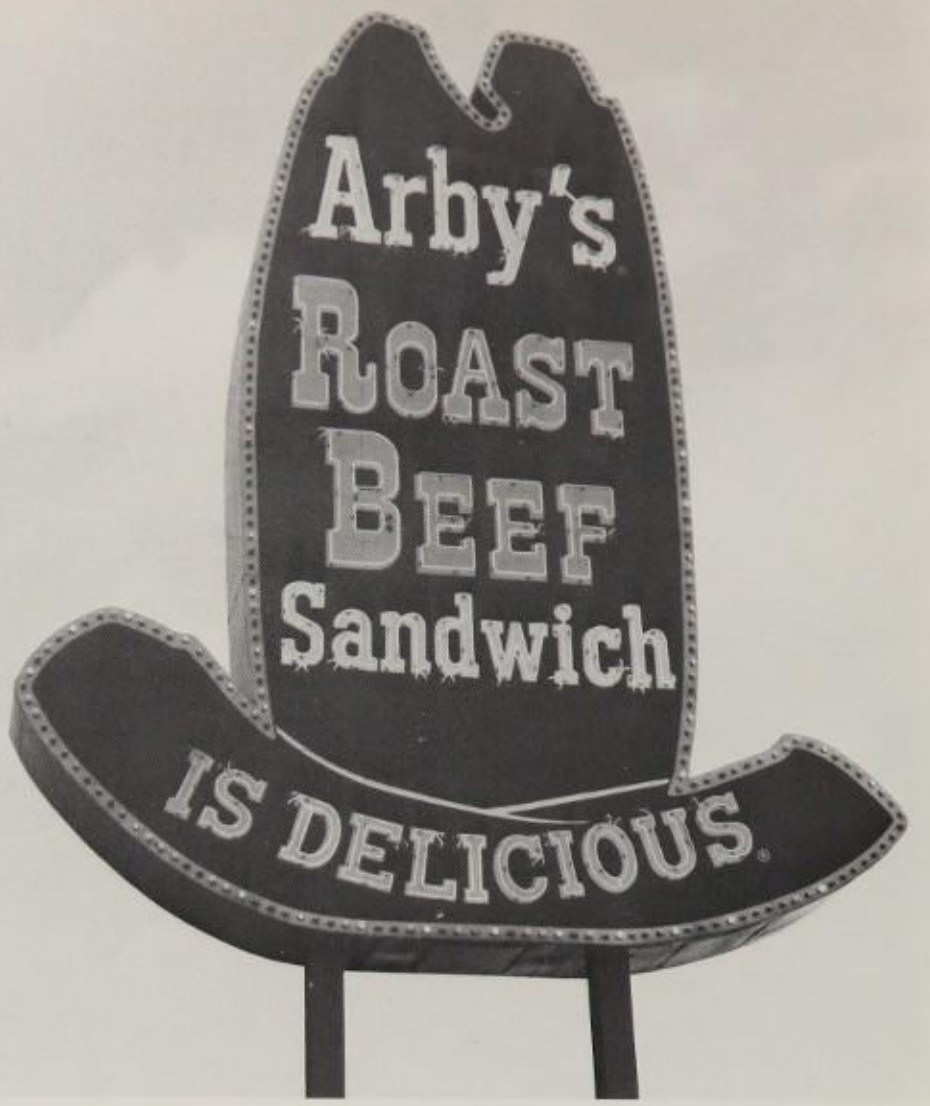

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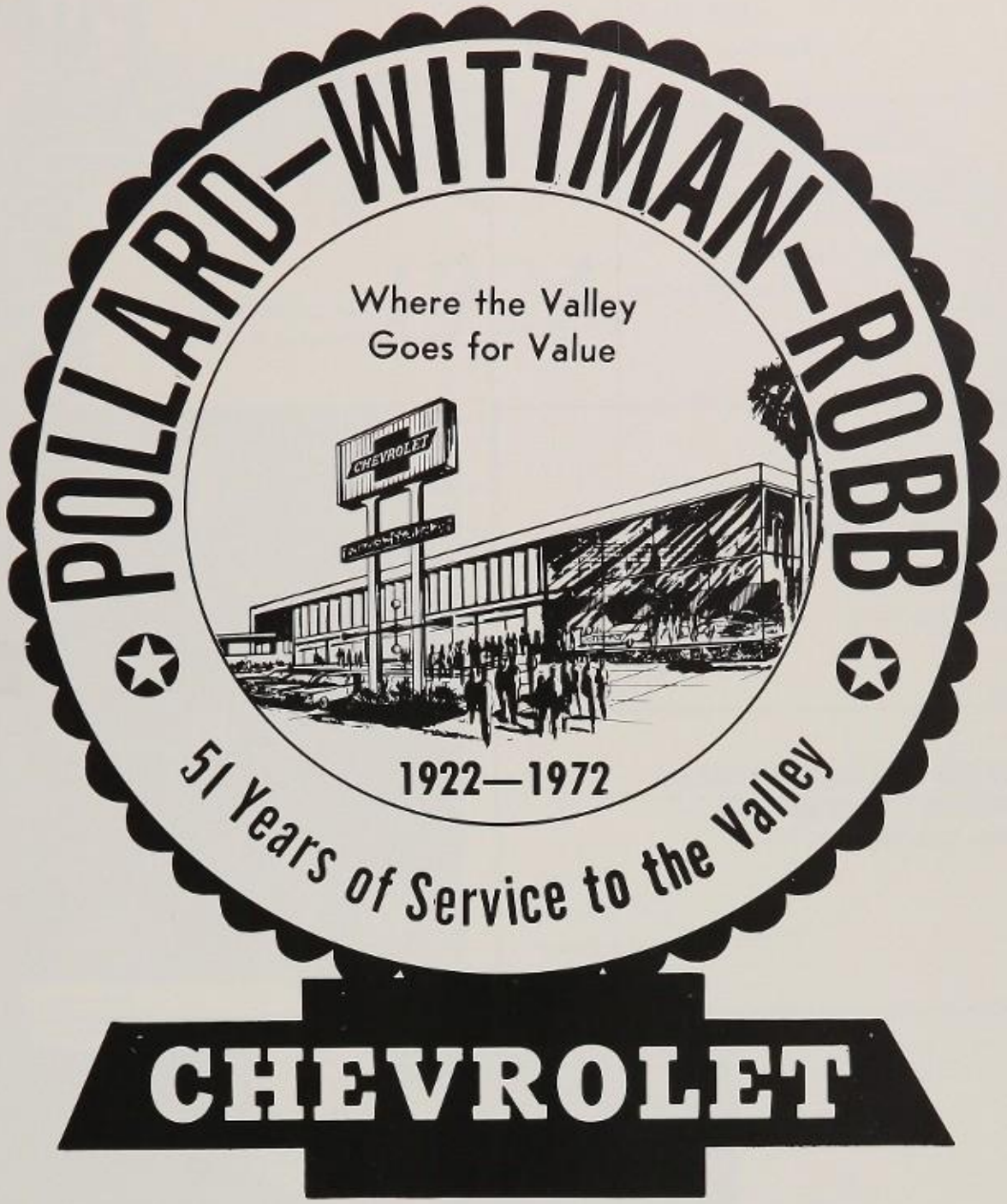

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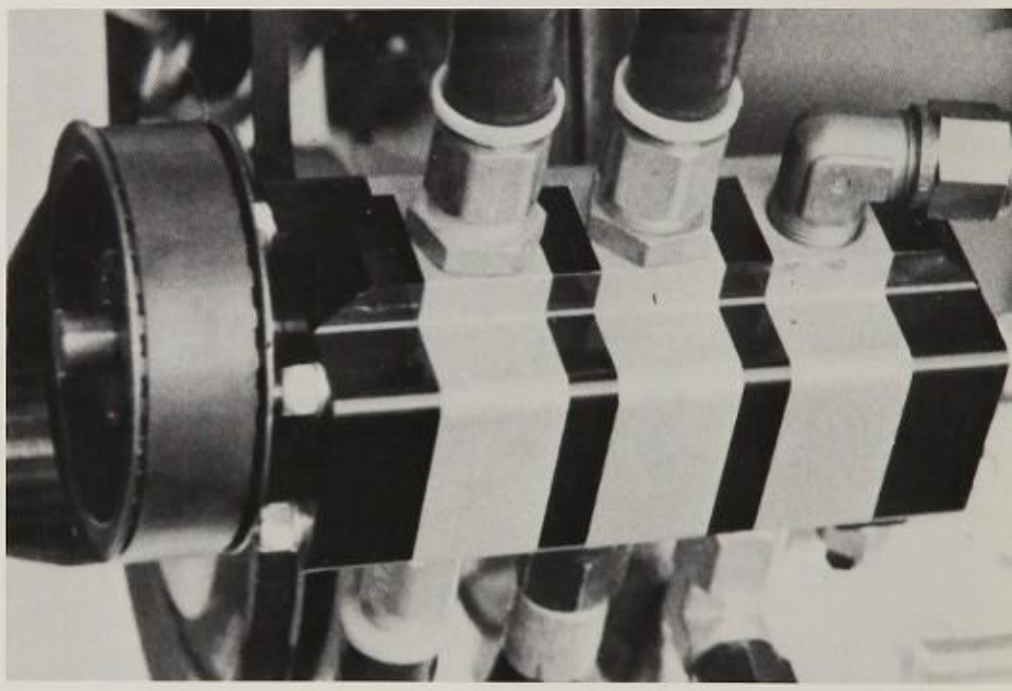

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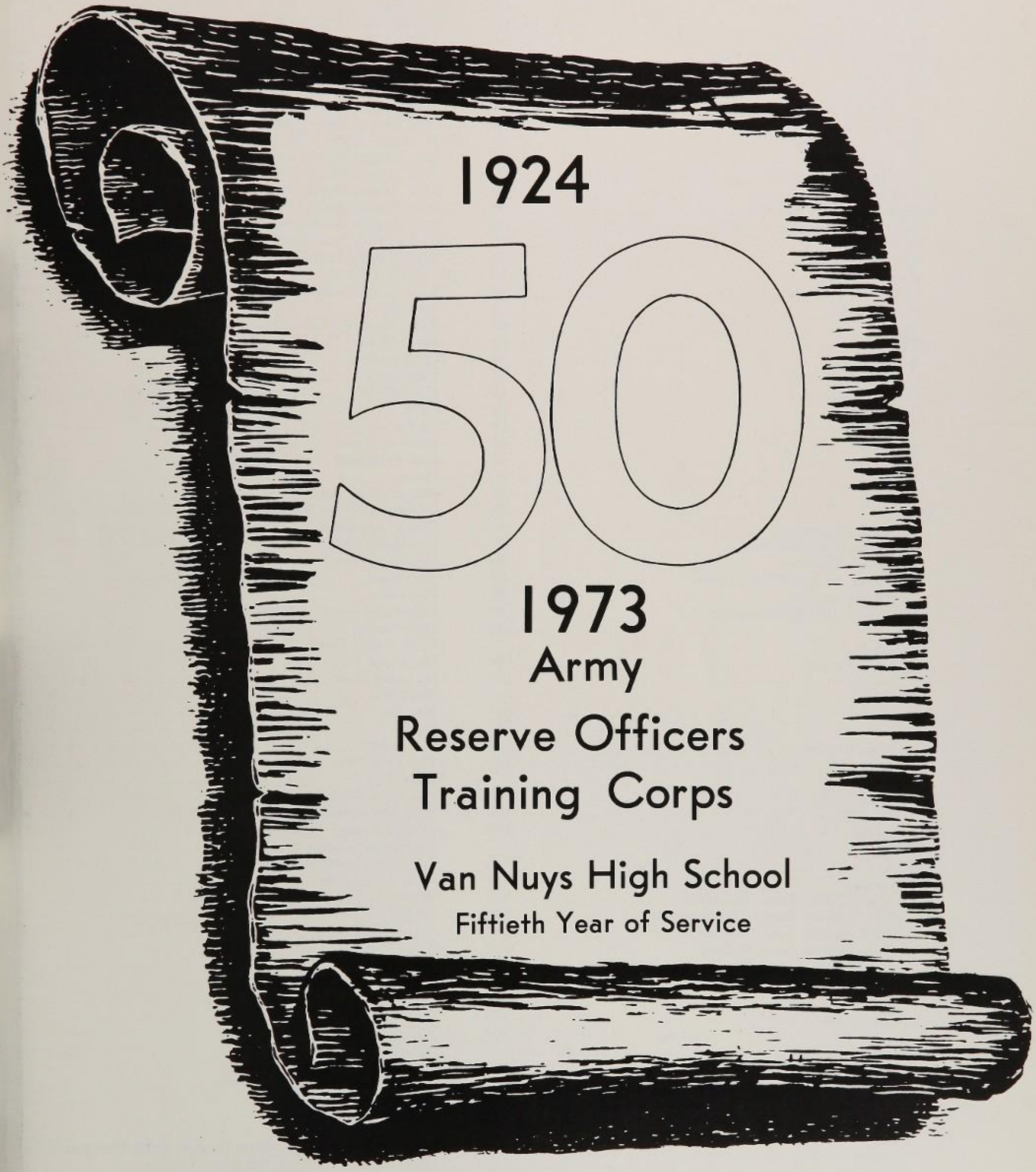
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Kim,
Your a very nice persbn and it was fun talking to you in Jewerly, and it was always fun cutting down Curt (sweetie). I hope you love and happiness in the future to come. Crystal Baker

Kim
It has been very nice knowing you, you are a very sweet person, I wish you lots of luck. I hope to see you this summer.
Love Your friend
Nancy Shazad
6-11-73

Dear Mrs. Schnier,
Thank you for your letter. I'm sorry to hear that you've been sick. I hope you're feeling better soon. It's been a nice cool summer so far, but I'm sure we'll be getting some hot weather soon. I hope that you can get out and enjoy it while it lasts.
Love,
Claire